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GERMAN BATTERING RAM IS HAMMERING ENEMY AGAIN ON BOTH THE EAST AND WEST

New Offensive Actions are Started Near Warsaw and LaBassee.

RUSSIANS CLAIM MORE GAINS

Assert They Have Advanced Near Warsaw and in the Carpathians; the Turks and English Have a Clash; American Vessel Sights a Warship.

By Associated Press.

LONDON, Feb. 3.—British military experts are unable to explain the sudden and violent offensive begun by the Germans to the west of Warsaw, in Russian Poland, and in the vicinity of La Bassee, on the northwestern end of the battle line in France. In both regions there has been a return to the old style of German battering, the men being hurled forward on close formation at great sacrifice with, British reports say, little permanent gain

In Russian Poland the Germans are holding some ground in front of Warsaw which these attacks netted but the recent German onslaughts on the western battle front, military officials assert, almost always have resulted in failure to consolidate the positions gained.

It is suggested that Field Marshal von Hindenburg is again hammering toward the Polish capital with the idea of holding there Emperor Nicholas' crack troops which otherwise might be transferred to the Carpathians, where the Russians and Austro-German forces still are fighting in the mountains.

Neither side has been able to force the other from the plains though the Russians claim to be more than holding their own.

La Bassee long has been a critical point on the western front and the British troops in the neighborhood have suffered heavily.

English newspapers are commenting extensively on the menace to be found in German submarines, particularly to merchant shipping. The papers are filled with editorial advice as to how skippers should act in case of attack. The more conservative writers hold that a steamer should not attempt to ram a submarine, as this would place her in the category of a naval opponent, and leave no reason why the submarine should spare the crew.

KAISER IS TO VISIT THE BATTERED BATTLE FLEET.

By Associated Press.

BERLIN, via London, Feb. 3.—Emperor William will leave today for Wilhelmshaven, the most important naval station in Germany to inspect warships stationed there. He will have an opportunity to look over the units of the squadron which participated in the North Sea battle, including the Seydlitz, which was squarely hit by one shell, and the Kolberg, which was struck by two

The emperor, who already has visited both the western and eastern fronts, will complete his inspection of the empire's armed force by visiting the unit of the newly organized army still garrisoned in Germany.

CANADIAN AUTHORITIES SEEK TO EXTRADITE VAN HORN

By Associated Press.

VANCEBORO, Me., Feb. 3.—The Dominion authorities were busy today building up a case to support their request for the extradition of Werner Van Horn who yesterday attempted the destruction of the International bridge over the St. Croix river.

Before noon a large party of secret service officers arrived here from Montreal They were to establish that Van Horn had deliberately caused damage to a railroad and so committed an offense that is extraditable under the treaty between the United States and Canada.

At the same time the question whether Van Horn was a criminal or a political offender was the subject of exchanges between Ottawa and Washington. Van Horn, still claiming to be a German officer and to feel secure in his position that he had properly committed an act of war and so could not be extradited, awaited events with composure. His only regret so far is that he succeeded in damaging the bridge but slightly.

He has showed no disposition to seek liberty but provision was made to forestall such procedure. A local trial justice, stands ready to issue a warrant for the arrest of the dynamiter on any one of several charges that have been suggested. These include illegal transportation of dynamite and the causing of damage in this town where the windows of some buildings were broken by the explosion

Van Horne today appealed to the German ambassador at Washington, Count von Bernstorff. He told the latter that he had not been on Canadian soil and asked for protection from extradition to Canada.

AMERICAN SHIP SIGHTS A STRANGE FOREIGN CRUISER

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—A four funneled cruiser thought at that time to be either the German warship Karlsruhe or the British cruiser Suffolk, spoke to the steamer Isabella on the night of January 15 in West Indian waters, according to declarations today

RUSSIAN GIRL IN 19 BATTLES, DRESSED AS MAN, WOUNDED

By Associated Press

MOSCOW, via Petrograd and London, Feb. 3.—Among the wounded who have arrived in Moscow from the front is Olga Krustinikoff, a girl of 19 years. After taking part in 19 battles in Poland, she was wounded in the foot.

The girl enlisted under a man's name and this deception has just been discovered. The Cross of St. George, fourth degree, has been awarded her.

by the Isabella's officers, upon the arrival of the steamer here.

The warship asked as to the whereabouts of the former Hamburg-American liner Tracsident, converted into a German auxiliary cruiser The meeting of the Isabella and the warship, the officers said, occurred about 8 o'clock in the evening while the steamer was on her way from San Juan, to another Porto Rican port It was too dark to establish the warship's identity, they said.

The Karlsruhe has four funnels; the Suffolk only three.

NO OUTSIDERS MAY AID RUSSIA'S WAR PRISONERS

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Russia today informed the United States that the distribution of food, money and clothing to German and Austrian prisoners in Siberia would be permitted only by the Russian military authorities, declining to give foreign relief expeditions that privilege.

An American expedition had started from Peking.

RUSSIAN NEWSPAPERS APPROVE U. S. POLICY

By Associated Press.

PETROGRAD, via London, Feb. 3. The attitude of the United States toward warring nations is the subject of discussion today in the leading Russian daily newspapers which are unanimous in their approval of the American policy.

The Novoe Vremya says: 'There is no law, American or international, which prevents private persons from exporting even ammunition at their own risk. On the other hand, the American government is not obliged to protect American grain exporters on the high seas against Great Britain"

GERMANS FLOAT BLAZING RAFTS DOWN RIVER AN RE

By Associated Press.

PARIS, Feb. 3—The usual artillery fighting along the lines in France and Flanders and a few infantry attacks are reported in the French official statement today.

The only feature was an attempt by the Germans to float blazing rafts down the river Aisne, south of Elbert. The floats were stopped before they exploded, the report says.

GERMANS TAKE 4,000 MEN IN EAST PRUSSIA.

By Associated Press

BERLIN, Feb. 3.—Attacks of the French on German positions near Perthes were repulsed, according to the German statement given out today.

The situation in East Prussia is unchanged. Four thousand prisoners and six machine guns were taken, the statement says. In cavalry fighting along the Vistula and in Poland.

Night attacks by the Russians near the Ploura river were also repulsed.

SUCCESS FOR RUSSIANS ALONG WARSAW FRONT

By Associated Press

PETROGRAD, Feb. 3—Successes for the Russian army in the region of Warsaw and in the Carpathians are recounted in an official Russian statement issued here today.

Confirmation is also given to the report that German troops have been sent to the Carpathians to assist their Austrian allies.

BRITISH SOLDIERS FIRE ON EACH OTHER BY MISTAKE

By Associated Press.

BERLIN, via wireless to London, Feb 3—Fighting between the English and Turks continues at Kurna, according to a dispatch from Bagdad, which describes a night attack made by 200 Turks.

Two English battalions, posted on opposite sides of the town became confused and fired on each other for several hours. The Turks were finally driven back at daybreak by the fire from two British gunboats.

HOUSE ADJOURNS.

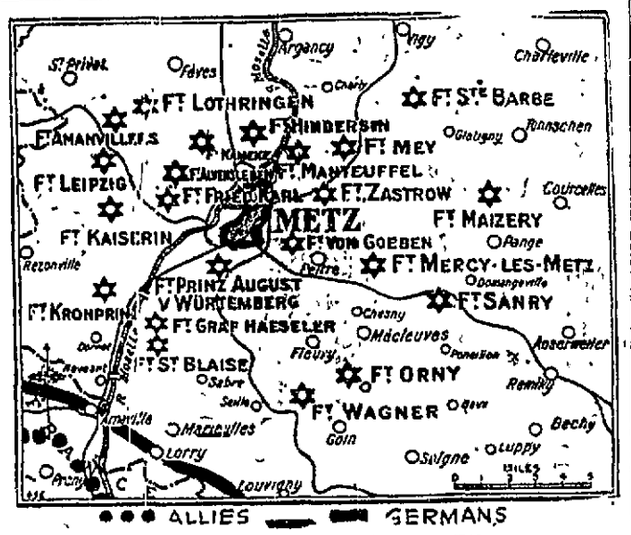
First Passes Suffrage Bill on Second Reading.

By Associated Press

HARRISBURG, Feb. 3—The House was only in session a short time this morning, but long enough to pass on its second reading the woman suffrage measure without a voice being raised for or against it.

The $500,000 appropriation for the foot and mouth disease campaign also was passed without opposition

Adjournment was taken until February 8 at 9 A. M. after a number of bills were introduced, including one by Representative Steele of Allegheny to compel coroners to turn over all unclaimed bodies to medical schools



MAP OF FORTS SURROUNDING METZ

This map shows the location in detail of the map of forts surrounding Metz, the German stronghold in Upper Alsace. It is toward this fortified city that the French are driving, and they are not very far away.

OHIO VALLEY TOWNS ARE SWEPT BY SERIOUS FLOODS

Thousands Made Idle When High Water Inundates Plants; One Fatality.

By Associated Press.

WHEELING, W. Va., Feb. 3.—Ten thousand men in factories in and around Wheeling, and fully double that number along the Ohio river between here and East Liverpool, O., were temporarily deprived of employment today by the flood.

Wheeling Island was almost entirely inundated and it was estimated that 2,000 persons had been driven from their homes Schools were closed and public buildings thrown open for the refugees.

There was a vast deal of inconvenience, but very little actual suffering except on the Ohio side where a large number of striking miners' families were driven out. A free restaurant was opened at Martins Ferry for the destitute

The only fatality reported was from Mingo, O., where an unidentified foreigner was drowned in the backwater. The crest of the flood passed East Liverpool at o'clock this morning and was expected to reach here this afternoon with a maximum of 42 feet.

CHICAGO HOTEL FIRE

Blaze Attacks Top Floors of the Kaiserhof Hotel.

By Associated Press

CHICAGO, Feb. 3—Practically every piece of fire fighting apparatus in the Loop responded today to an alarm from the Kaiserhof hotel whose upper stories were attacked by a blaze that routed guests. Thousands of spectators crowded the street, completely blocking traffic.

There seemed but little chance of fire harming the Kaiserhof, a skyscraper adjoining, but some fear was felt for other buildings in the block.

Among the guests driven out was Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor. He had just opened a conference with other labor leaders on the sixth floor when a switchboard girl who had remained at her post gave the alarm

The federation head hurried out, leaving his baggage, and hastened to telegraph his people in Washington of his safety. All the other labor leaders escaped in an elevator.

NINE DIE IN FLAMES

Six Others Seriously Hurt When Lumbermen's Shanty is Burned.

By Associated Press

KANE, Pa., Feb. 3—Nine men were burned to death and six others were seriously injured in a fire which early today destroyed the sleeping house of the Tionesta Chemical Company at Mayburg, Forest county The men, mostly wanderers, of whom little was known to the company, were employed in the forest as woodsmen and at night slept in the cheesecloth-lined frame building erected for them.

The house was heated by gas and it is believed that increased pressure in the main caused an explosion which fired the building. The nearest town, Sheffield, is 18 miles away, and medical aid was hours in reaching the injured. Only one occupant of the building escaped uninjured.

Physicians expressed the belief that two of the injured would die.

SUITS ARE DISMISSED

Anti-Trust Case Against Steamship Lines is Lost by Government

By Associated Press

NEW YORK, Feb. 3—The government's anti-trust suit against the Prince line, the Hamburg-American line, the Lamport & Holt line and others, charging restraint of trade in connection with freight and passenger and steamship business between American ports and Brazil, and against the American-Asiatic Steamship Company and others, whose ships ply between New York and Asiatic ports, were dismissed today.

Asks Ship Bill Support.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3—Secretary Bryan addressed the Chamber of Commerce of the United States here today with a plea for support for the administration's ship bill and ratification of the Colombian treaty.

ENGLISH MINISTER IS HERE TO HOLD REVIVAL SERVICES

Rev. George W. Buckner Will Deliver First Sermon in Christian Church Tonight.

Rev. George W. Buckner, pastor of Mornington Road Church of God at Southport, England, father of Rev. Champ Clark Buckner of the Christian Church here, arrived in the city today from Somerset and will take charge of the evangelistic meetings in his son's church tonight.

Rev. G. W. Buckner just closed a successful campaign in the church of another son at Somerset. There will be a special number by the choir tonight and other interesting features

Rev. G. W. Buckner has had an active career first as a lawyer and later as a minister He was born in Louisiana, Mo., in 1862. At the age of 23 years he was admitted to practice law before the bar of Pike county, Missouri, being admitted at the same time as Elliott Majors, now governor of the state. Mr. Buckner's law office adjoined that of Champ Clark, for whom he named his second son, now pastor of the Connellsville church. In addition to the practice of law, Mr. Buckner edited a newspaper. At the age of 26 he took up his studies for the ministry, graduating from the Christian University at Canton, Mo

After his graduation was pastor in several prominent cities in Illinois and Missouri. He was also professor of Christian doctrine in his alma mater 1906-17 In the year 1912 he was called to the pastorate of Mornington Road Church of Christ, Southport, England. During his residence abroad he came in contact with many of England's greatest men and included among his acquaintances is David Lloyd George Mr. Buckner left England on December 30 for a two months' lecture tour in America. He will sail for England about March 10.

Last night Rev C. C. Buckner spoke on the subject "Where Does Christ Live?" It is not in the brain or in Christian service, he told his hearers, but in the heart The brain he said, is but the reception hall to the heart. There were no responses to the invitation extended by the pastor, but after the meeting closed Rev. Buckner engaged a man in one of the rear seats in conversation. As a result, the man expressed his intention to lead a new life. About 30 or 40 persons who had remained in the church discussing the campaign came back to their seats while the convert was received. Many of them had left the church.

A special service for women and girls was held last evening at the Methodist Episcopal Church. The church was crowded and there were several conversions The meetings at this church will come to a successful close this evening, when a general jubilee service is to be held. Rev. G. L. C. Richardson has charge.

At the United Brethren Church the revival service was enlivened by the visit of a delegation of young men from the Methodist Episcopal Church. Rev. R. S Showers of Bradford again preached a strong sermon.

The midweek meeting at the Baptist Church at 7.15 o'clock this evening will be in the main auditorium and will be of an evangelistic order. The chorus choir will sing and Rev. Wilbur Nelson will preach on the subject of "The Joy of Salvation."

EARLY BASEBALL VERDICT

Judge Landis Promises a Decision by Next Saturday.

CHICAGO, Feb 3 —Decision in the Federal League suit against organized baseball which, it was alleged, operates in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law, will be handed down not later than next Saturday.

United States District Judge Landis, before whom the case was heard, made this announcement yesterday.

THE WEATHER FORECAST

Cloudy tonight, Thursday partly cloudy and warmer, is the noon forecast for Western Pennsylvania

The Temperature.

	1915	1914
Maximum	63	67
Minimum	30	36
Mean	47	49

The Yough river dropped from 11.30 to 10.10 feet during the night

LODGE 65 YEARS OLD; ODD FELLOWS WILL CELEBRATE

Fitting Observance of General Worth's Anniversary.

GRAND LODGE OFFICER TO SPEAK

Perry Shaner, Allegheny County Attorney, Grand Warden of Order, to be on Hand; Ladies Will Serve a Chicken and Biscuit Supper.

Elaborate preparations have been made by the two lodges of Odd Fellows in Connellsville to celebrate the sixty-fifth anniversary of the institution of General Worth Lodge, on Saturday night, February 6, in the new temple on Apple street.

Henry Goldsmith, historian of the order, has prepared a comprehensive history of Odd Fellowship in Connellsville, giving an account of its activities, and giving details of the four Odd Fellows buildings established in Connellsville since the first lodge was formed here. The new temple on Apple street is the last and finest of the four, the hall on East Main street having been the site of two other similar buildings

The principal address will be made by Perry Shaner, Grand Warden of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows in Pennsylvania. Mr. Shaner is an attorney of Allegheny county and a speaker of considerable note.

In addition there will be vocal and instrumental music of a high standard. The celebration will be open not only to Odd Fellows, but to friends of the order, a cordial invitation being extended to all.

On the same evening between 5 and 8 o'clock, the Daughters of Rebekah will serve a chicken and biscuit supper in the banquet room of the new temple, to which the general public is also invited Tickets for this are obtainable from the committee or at the temple.

The dedatory exercises of the new temple on Peach street will not take place until some time in April at which time some of the leading Odd Fellows in Pennsylvania will be present.

Another of the activities of the Odd Fellows will be a minstrel performance some time during April at one of the theatres, to be under the auspices of the Odd Fellows Temple Association, comprising members of General Worth and William McKinley lodges. It will be along novel lines Rehearsals will shortly begin.

TO FIGHT WAGE REDUCTION

Tin Plate Workers Voice Vigorous Objection to Cut.

By Associated Press.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 3—Vigorous objection to a wage reduction proposed by the independent sheet and tin plate manufacturers was voiced at a special delegate convention of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel & Tin Plate Workers here today. The manufacturers, through their president, W. J. Lynch, of Granite City, Ill., asked the man to accept a cut of from 10 to 15 per cent to meet, it was declared, the competition of the American Sheet & Tin Plate Company, which had installed improved methods of manufacture

President John Williams and a committee were to meet the manufacturers this afternoon after the workmen had decided on their course of action.

REFUSES A REHEARING

Public Service Commission Won't Reopen Limestone Rate Case.

By Associated Press.

HARRISBURG, Feb 3—The Public Service Commission has refused the petition of the Pittsburg & Lake Erie railroad for a rehearing in the matter of the complaint of the Pittsburg Steel Company against the Pittsburg & Lake Erie and the Pennsylvania railroad companies.

The commission fixed a rate of 75 cents a ton on limestone from the Union furnace to Monessen, and divided the rate between the two railroad companies. The Pittsburg & Lake Erie objected to this decision, alleging that the commission erred in its findings as to the division of the rate and on this point the rehearing was requested.

URGE STRICT QUARANTINE

Missouri Veterinarians Would Not Exclude Persons, Dogs or Cats

By Associated Press

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb 3.—Quarantine, not only of stock but of men, women, children, dogs and cats, on farms where the infection is found is the only way to eradicate the foot and mouth disease, according to speakers before the Missouri Valley Veterinary Association, in session here today

Five hundred veterinarians were in attendance. The prevalence of the foot and mouth diseases was the principal topic for discussion.

Reduce Millage.

Uniontown town council last night fixed the 1915 tax levy at 18¾ mills, a deduction of a quarter mill from that of last year.

Dies at Hospital.

Mike Crevoz, Slavish, of Coulbrook died this morning at the Cottage State Hospital. He was operated on several days ago.

MOTHERS' PENSION BOARD MAKES FIRST YEAR REPORT

Committee Shows What Has Been Accomplished Under the Assistance Law.

The first report of the Fayette County Trustees of the Mothers Assistance Fund, shows that fifteen mothers in the county are receiving assistance from the fund. At a meeting of the trustees held yesterday in Uniontown the report was completed and today was submitted to the county commissioners

The fund was authorized by the Sheatz mothers' pension act of 1913 and trustees were appointed by Governor Tener last July. Since the establishment of the board in this county 190 visits have been made by its members upon applications for investigation 76 visits of applicants made to the office of the trustees in Uniontown and 235 visits made by applicants to the homes of the trustees After a thorough investigation of each case all findings on cases are put before the trustees and where it seems advisable to grant assistance one or more of the trustees are appointed to visit the home and report at the following meeting Upon indorsement by the trustees assistance is recommended and the amount necessary considered.

In the report of Mrs Milton A McCormick it showed that $1,800 was allowed Fayette county, with $500 for furniture The expenditures have been $1,200, making $1,000 available for the remainder of the year. Last September Miss Nora Shallenberger of Brownsville resigned from the board and was made investigator for the board. Mrs. E. D Mason of Brownsville succeeded Miss Shallenberger as trustee After assistance is recommended families are visited once a month by the investigator Mrs J. F. Kerr of this place is president of the board Mrs W. P. Clark is also a member.

PROHIBITION DEBATE

J. C. Young and W. M. Likins to Argue Temperance Question Here.

A lively debate is promised here on Sunday evening in the Soisson Theatre when J. C Young and W M. Likins will discuss, pro and con, the question, "Resolved, That Prohibition is Impracticable, Unamerican and Unchristian."

Young, a former Socialist, is well known throughout the county as a stump speaker. Likins is also equally well known, having for several years edited a prohibition weekly in Uniontown and mixed rather deeply into county politics.

Both men are peppery talkers and the debate will not lack for action The debates are being held under the auspices of the National Prohibition League. Last Sunday the two men talked to a crowd of 1,000 at Point Marion.

TO SAVE SHIP BILL

Democrats Seek Amendments; Ignore Bolting Senators.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb 3 — Closely guarded plans of the Senate administration Democrats for saving the ship bill developed today as leaving the bolting Democrats out of the reckoning entirely and making the bill agreeable to enough Progressive Republicans to overcome the defection.

The plan as finally agreed upon was to move as an amendment to the motion to recommit instructing the commerce committee bill to return the bill with amendments providing that the government should not lease ships to private corporations for a period longer than 12 months and no ships of belligerent nations be bought which would disturb the neutrality of the United States.

URGES CONSERVATION.

West Virginia Governor Wants Coal and Gas Saved.

By Associated Press

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Feb 3.—Governor Hatfield today sent a message to the Legislature in which he called attention to the necessity of legislation looking to the conservation of the health and of the natural resources of the state.

Governor Hatfield declared that 200 000 acres of coal land had been destroyed by searchers for natural gas and oil and that 500,000,000 cubic feet of gas was going to waste every day. He criticised those who oppose measures to stop such waste and asked that the Legislature take steps in that direction at once

RECEIPTS SMALL

Two County Offices Fall to Make Expenses During January.

According to the monthly figures of the county fee offices, the recorder's office fell away behind in receipts during the month of January. The receipts were $693 30 and the payroll $883.33, making a deficit for the month of $189.13

Coroner H. J. Bell also suffered a deficit of $101 45 in his office, but the other offices showed a credit.

Earthquake Damages Mines

LONDON, Feb. 3—Earth shocks occurred last night in a number of districts in Yorkshire One miner was killed and many had narrow escapes owing to the shaking down of coal in the pits In some cases the pits were rendered unworkable by the fall of coal.

Operations at Hospital

Mrs. Elizabeth Getchell of North Pittsburg street, Louis E Welling, also of town, and William Fitzgerald, of Dunbar, 8 years old, were admitted to the Cottage State Hospital for operations. The latter will be operated on for throat trouble.

RAILROADS FACING LANDSLIDES AFTER DAYS OF HARD RAIN

Slips Bury Track in Places, but Traffic is Not Blocked.

FLOOD'S CREST IS REACHED

Yough Rises to 11.55 Feet and Then Begins to Fall; Downpour Followed by Snow Flurries and Colder Weather; Sidewalks Show Effects of Rain.

The recent rains have loosened quantities of earth at various points along the Baltimore & Ohio railroad tracks and several slides have occurred, but none that seriously interfered with traffic.

East of Indian Creek, where the tremendous slide of last year occurred, burying the tracks under tons of earth there have been a number of small slides, which have delayed trains, but section hands quickly removed the debris and kept the road open. Yesterday afternoon trains were rendered late because of this.

No 69 in the Fairmont branch was delayed a short time last evening at Point Marion by a slide of considerable size. It was cleared away promptly, however, and the road kept open.

In this kind of weather, constant vigilance is necessary, especially along the main line of the road near Indian Creek where many slides have occurred. None, however, was as great as that of last year.

Along the Western Maryland tracks, south of town, huge piles driven to bind the sub-strata and prevent slides, have been bent over, in some places 20 and 30 feet, by the weight of the earth loosened by the recent rains No serious slides have been reported, however.

The rains of the last few days have stopped for a while at least, though the weather bureau does not predict fair weather yet. The flood stage of the river was reached yesterday at noon when 11 55 feet was reached. From then on it began to drop and at 4 o'clock in the afternoon 11 30 feet was the mark. This morning 10 40 was recorded.

The rains have had a bad effect on brick sidewalks throughout the city. The foundation on which they rest has become so soggy that the bricks almost seem to be floating when one steps on them In other places the clap upon which they rest has percolated upward making a muddy mess on top of the walks.

FIGHT BRINGS SUITS

Both Participants Later Prosecutions Before Local Alderman.

As a result of an altercation between Albert McSweeney of Indiana, Pa., and R. A Comiskey of this city, on Water street last evening, cross suits were instituted before aldermen McSweeney was committed to jail this morning by Alderman Eugene O'Donovan on a charge of carrying concealed weapons, and Comiskey was held under $300 bail by Alderman Fred Munk on a charge of larceny by bailee by McSweeney

McSweeney alleged that Comiskey went to secure change for a $10 bill and did not return. When they met on Water street yesterday, it is alleged that McSweeney wielded a revolver He was arrested by Patrolman McDonald and the weapon found on him.

Comiskey has not been committed to jail as he is making an effort to secure bail.

HOMELESS MAN ILL.

He Tells City Officials That His Children Turned Him Out

Michael Kranna, a foreigner who declares he has been turned out by a son and daughter because he is no longer able to work, is ill in a cell at city hall. He was treated during the night by a physician, but is now under care of the police Some effort to have him removed to a hospital or the county home will be made for the police maintain that the city hall is not an institution where the sick are to be cared for.

The man says that he worked at Davidson, for 20 years, but being at present incapacitated his family refuses to keep him.

SEE 130 NEW POLES.

New Lighting System for City Requires Time to Install.

About 130 poles have been placed by the West Penn linemen for the new lights that are to be part of the recently adopted contract. It is expected that 175 will be needed if the lights are to be placed at all of the dark points indicated in the city engineer's plan

After all the poles are set, there will be considerable extra wiring to do, so the lights will not be lighted for some time yet. Good progress is being made, however.

Gets Small Verdict

The case in which Frank Pegg sued his brother, James Pegg, for $50 for work done on a building near Uniontown, was decided in court yesterday, when the jury awarded $25.65 to the plaintiff.

Will Attend Convention.

C. Roy Hetrel and Lloyd J. Shaw, members of school board, will leave tonight for Harrisburg to attend the annual convention of school directors.

SOCIETY.

Rebekah Lodge Will Meet.

The regular meeting of the Edna Rebekah Lodge will be held tomorrow evening at 7.30 o'clock in the Odd Fellows new temple on East Apple street The meeting is one of importance and all members are urged to attend.

All Day Meeting.

An all day meeting of the Ladies' Sewing Circle of the First Baptist church will be held tomorrow in the church.

Aid and Missionary Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid and Missionary Society of the United Presbyterian Church will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Fannie Graft in East Main street.

W. M. A. to Meet.

The Woman's Missionary Association of the United Brethren Church will meet tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs Herkey on Patterson avenue.

Wilson-Campbell.

Miss Lulu Wilson and E. Murray Campbell, both of Greensburg were married yesterday morning at the parsonage of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Greensburg The bridegroom is well known in Connellsville.

D. D. Class Will Meet.

The D. D Class of the United Presbyterian Sunday school will meet Friday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of the teacher, Mrs. J. F. Kerr in East Fairview avenue

Entertains at Fancy Work.

The Greenwood Ladies Fancy Work Club was delightfully entertained yesterday afternoon by Mrs Edward Sweeney at her home on Eighth street, Greenwood Sixteen members and guests attended and spent a most enjoyable afternoon. A pleasing feature was a musical program rendered by Charles Everett and Quia Helen Evans, twin children of Mr and Mrs Ellsworth Evans of Dawson The numbers included violin and vocal duets and each selection was capably rendered. In addition to the musical program there was a thimble contest Mrs. J J Robson won the head prize, while Mrs. Allen Crawford received the consolation prize Miss Nelle Sweeney gave a reading "Mother is on the Jury and Won't Be Home Tonight." A dainty luncheon, in which St Valentine appointments prevailed, was served The out of town guests were Mrs Isaac Bush, Mrs Richard Howell Mrs Allen Crawford and Mrs Ellsworth Evans of Dawson. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs R O Bruce.

Athletic Association Organized

The Martin Luther Bible Class of the Trinity Lutheran Church met last night at the home of Miss Sarah Stein teacher of the class An athletic association to be known as the Trinity Lutheran Athletic Association was organized The rules and by-laws were drawn up and approved by sixteen charter members Following the business meeting refreshments were served by the hostess

To Hold Musical.

The L. W Class of the Baptist Sunday School will hold a musicale in the social room of the church on Friday night The Jackson Sisters and Franks Brothers orchestra will compose the program.

Daughters of America

The Daughters of America will meet tomorrow evening in Markell hall

Engagement Announced.

The engagement of Miss Grace Kendall, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Lynne A Kendall of Meyersdale and Rev Harry B Angus of Washington, was announced yesterday at a luncheon given by Mrs. Kendall at "The Highlands" Washington, where the Kendalls are spending the winter, Rev Angus is pastor of the Washington Presbyterian Church

Central Grocery.

Having taken over the Central Grocery, I ask the continuance of the patronage heretofore accorded I also ask the public generally to give us a trial as to quality and prices. Our aim is prompt attention, fair prices and best quality. Call and see us. Central Grocery, John G. Haynes, proprietor.—Adv.

In Critical Condition.

Mrs George Reynolds of New Salem, a former Connellsville resident, is in a critical condition at the West Penn Hospital, Pittsburg Mrs Reynolds is a daughter of O. P. Moser of this place.

"I Eat

Grape-Nuts

the Year Round

and it agrees with me," writes a doctor, "better than any breakfast food on the market—unless there is one I have not tried."

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MRS. JAMES B. MILLARD SUCCUMBS TO PARALYSIS

Well Known Resident's Death is Unexpected; Peter D. Shumaker Is Dead.

Mrs. Annie Kyle Millard, 63 years old, wife of James B. Millard, died last night at the family residence on Trevor street Although she had been in poor health for the past several years, her death was unexpected. Since Christmas she had been confined to her bed with an injury to her leg suffered last September While the injury was not considered serious, the physician advised her to remain in bed in hopes of a more speedy recovery. Yesterday she came downstairs for the first time and apparently was in her usual health

She went upstairs to retire about 8 o'clock Soon afterwards her small grandson called to her. When he received no response, Mr. Millard went to her room and found her sitting in a chair, unconscious She died about an hour afterwards, paralysis being the cause

Mrs Millard was born in Liverpool England, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs Christopher Kyle. She was married in Liverpool, March 30, 1881, to James B. Millard and came to Connellsville after the marriage, residing here since To the union six children were born, five of whom survive, Mrs Anabel Lutterman, Helen Belle Millard, at home; Mrs. Ross Showman of Connellsville, James A. and Harry Millard, the latter at home In addition to her husband and children, she is survived by one sister, Mrs. Harry Canham, of New York, and a grandson, Millard Enos.

Deceased was a member of the Trinity Lutheran Church and up until her illness was one of its most active members. She was a member of the Ladies' Aid Society, the Woman's Missionary Society, the King's Daughters, the Ladies Auxiliary to the Young Men's Christian Association and the German Beneficial Union She was a woman of a very quiet disposition, and was highly esteemed by her wide circle of friends.

Funeral Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence with Rev E B Burgess pastor of the Trinity Lutheran Church officiating Private interment in Hill Grove cemetery

Peter D. Shumaker.

Peter D. Shumaker, 67 years old, a well known resident of the West Side, died this morning at his home on Main street following a seven week's illness of paralysis Funeral from the family residence Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, with Rev. J H Lambert-son pastor of the Methodist Protestant Church, and Rev W H Gladden officiating Interment in Hill Grove Cemetery.

Deceased was born in Somerset county, November 20, 1848, a son of Israel and Catherine Shumaker He married Miss Susan Martz of Somerset county, and about 16 years ago the family came to the West Side to reside Mr. Shumaker was a carpenter by trade and up until recently resided on Eighth street, Greenwood He was a member of the Methodist Protestant Church.

In addition to his widow he is survived by the following children: Dalton of Turtentum, Charles of Los Angeles, Cal., Irvin and George of Connellsville, Mrs. Amy Smith of Somerset, and Mrs Hilda Beatty of Connellsville, one brother Samuel Shumaker of Hyndman, and two sisters, Mrs Sallie Martz and Mrs. Julia Raubaugh both of Somerset county, also survive.

Emerson Bitner Buried.

The funeral of Emerson S Bitner took place this afternoon from the Mount Olive Church. Rev C C. Huckner of the Christian Church, Rev I S Shewers of the United Brethern Church and Rev Ott of the Mount Olive Church, officiated The funeral was one of the largest held from the church in recent years A large delegation of employes and officials of the Fayette County Gas Company from Connellsville and more distant points attended in a body The floral tributes were many and handsome The pallbearers were J. David Dillwagon, Theodore Cable, P L Garard, O R Blackburn, R. M Critchfield and W P. Richter, employes of the Fayette County Gas Company Interment at Mount Olive cemetery.

Funeral of Dewey Anderson.

The funeral of Dewey Anderson, who died in the Mount Pleasant Hospital Friday from injuries suffered in a coasting accident, was held Monday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the Mount Pleasant United Brethren Church. The Bryce Glass factory, where the deceased was employed, was closed during the afternoon and the employes attended the funeral in a body. The floral tributes were numerous and beautiful Deceased was a cousin of J. B. Brown, whose death occurred near Broad Ford about six weeks ago.

Among the out of town persons at the funeral were George Dull of Masontown, Miss Lettie Dull and Mrs Elizabeth Orbin of Broad Ford, William and J Dull of Owensdale

Amzi Miller.

Amzi Miller, aged 72, died Monday night at the home of his daughter, Mrs Wilson Miller on Franklin road, Dunbar. Deceased is survived by one daughter, Mrs Wilson Miller Funeral notice later.

Jos. S. Thompkin's Funeral.

The funeral of Joseph S Thompkins will take place Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence in the West Side At 2.30 o'clock services will be held from the A M E Church on Main street West Side Interment in Hill Grove cemetery.

Mrs Grimes' Funeral

The funeral of Mrs Elizabeth Grimes of Oliphant will take place from the church at Perry tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock. Rev D. F Mincel of Dunbar will officiate

John M. McDowell

John M. McDowell, 61 years old, a member of the Dunbar council, died this morning at his home on Connellsville street, Dunbar, following an illness of several months Funeral Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Methodist Episcopal Church at Dunbar Rev H L Humbert and Rev T. M Gladden will officiate

Mr McDowell had resided at Dunbar for 20 years He was born in Dunbar township a son of William H and Rebecca Miller McDowell For several years he operated a drug store at Dunbar and was at one time a member of the Dunbar school board He was a member of the Fayette Lodge of Masons, Uniontown, known as the Blue lodge, and of Lodge 49 of the Knight Templar, Uniontown. He is survived by his widow, two sons, Thomas McDowell of Uniontown, John Irvin McDowell, of Dunbar, and five daughters Mrs William Abbott of Connellsville, Mrs Harry Ellenberger, Miss Ina McDowell, Miss Ethel McDowell and Miss Margaret McDowell, all of Dunbar

Mrs. Hubert's Funeral

The funeral of Mrs Mary Hubert will take place from the family residence Friday afternoon at 1 30 o'clock and from the St. John's German Lutheran Church at 2 30 o'clock

MINE RESCUE WORK

Bill Passed by House Authorizes Extension of Present System.

Pittsburg probably will be made the headquarters of mine safety work, provided for in the Foster-Kern bill, which has just passed the House The bill authorizes the establishment in the larger mining regions of the country of 15 movable mine safety stations for rescue work One or more of these stations will be established in the coal regions of Pennsylvania, with Pittsburg as headquarters, if the Senate gives its approval to the bill The committee report approving of the bill describes the contemplated work as follows

"There shall be a headquarters organization located at some central point, probably at the Pittsburg laboratories, under the direction of which all the cars could be operated. Here the necessary researches could be conducted, looking to the improvement of rescue equipment, together with the repairs of such equipment, and such other work could be done as would contribute to the efficiency of the entire work connected with such central organization

"There would be a chief surgeon and a chief mining engineer, who, in addition to guiding the work of the several mining engineers and surgeons on all of the mine rescue cars, would follow up their work by suggestions and co-operation in the organization of local first aid teams at the different mines, and encouraging the reading of miners' circulars and other publications sent out by the bureau Engineers connected with this central organization should also visit each mine rescue car, with a view to seeing that the new interest in safety measures, occasioned by the work of the rescue car, is kept alive."

Representative D M Foster of Illinois chairman of the House committee on mines and mining, in discussing the bill which now goes to the Senate, said "The purpose of the bill is to enlarge the scope of the work now being done by the Bureau of Mines, and to extend it to gold and silver mines and to other metallurgical industries If the bill becomes a law I have no doubt the Bureau of Mines plant at Pittsburg will be enlarged and the activities of that institution much increased"

HEADACHE STOPS, NEURALGIA GONE

Dr. James' Headache Powders Give Instant Relief—Cost Dime a Package.

Nerve-racking, splitting or dull, throbbing headaches yield in just a few moments to Dr. James' Headache Powders which cost only 10 cents a package at any drug store relief in the whole world Don't suffer! Believe the agony and distress now! You can Millions of men and women have found that headache or neuralgia misery is needless Get what you ask for—Adv.

A SLIGHT BLAZE

Gas Explosion at West Side Home Causes Small Fire.

Fire resulting from a gas explosion at the home of George Meyers on North First street West Side, caused an alarm to be sent in for the fire department this morning

The firemen used the chemical extinguishers to extinguish the blaze after chopping a hole in the parlor floor. Only slight damage was done to some timbers under the floor

How to Prevent Bilious Attacks.

"Coming events cast their shadows before" This is especially true of bilious attacks. Your appetite will fail, you you will feel dull and languid If you are subject to bilious attacks take three of Chamberlain's Tablets as soon as their symptoms appear and the attack may be warded off For sale by all dealers.—Adv

Better Than a Christmas Savings Fund

Invest in a pig, $5 00 down and $5.00 per month for nine months Your possible earnings will be $4,311.53. For full particulars see W W Robinson, No 104 South Pittsburg street, Connellsville, Pa.—Adv.

Confiscates Badge.

By direction of the sheriff's office, Chief of Police Bowers confiscated a deputy sheriff's badge worn by Amerigo Rossi, an Italian His commission had expired and it was alleged he was using the badge improperly.

Classified Advertisements

Cost but one cent a word, and bring results. Try them.

QUICK RELIEF FROM CONSTIPATION

Get Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

That is the joyful cry of thousands since Dr. Edwards produced Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel.

Dr. Edwards, a practicing physician for 17 years and calomel's old time enemy, discovered the formula for Olive Tablets while treating patients for chronic constipation and torpid livers

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets do not contain calomel, but a healing, soothing vegetable laxative

No griping is the "keynote" of these little sugar-coated, olive-colored tablets. They cause the bowels and liver to act normally. They never force them to unnatural action.

If you have a "dark brown mouth" now and then—a bad breath—a dull, tired feeling—sick headache—torpid liver and are constipated, you'll find quick, sure and only pleasant results from one or two little Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets at bedtime.

Thousands take one or two every night just to keep right. Try them. 10c and 25c per box All druggists.

The Olive Tablet Company, Columbus, O.

BARGAIN TABLE

This table will prove a "gold mine" for those who enjoy bargains, for on it you will find values up to 50c in hand bags, fancy collars, mittens, children's gloves, sewing sets and mufflers—your choice for 10c

ODDS AND ENDS

in Munsing Underwear for women and children, values up to $1.00 displayed on special table at the low price 49c

CHILDREN'S COATS

Handsome models in children's coats, well made and good style in colors red, brown, green, black and copenhagen, size 2 to 6 years at ½ Price.

CHILDREN'S APRONS

35 dozen children's aprons in a fine line of colorings, nicely made, and good styles, in sizes 2 to 10 years, regularly 39c, at 25c

KNIT SLIPPERS

Women's bedroom slippers, well made in an assortment of colors, in all sizes, formerly priced up to $1.00, at pair 59c

LACE CURTAINS

Lot of Nottingham lace curtains, 2¼ yards long, formerly priced up to $1; at pair 59c

Lot of Nottingham lace curtains, 2¼ yards long, formerly priced 50c. Pair 35c

WOMEN'S HOSE

25 dozen women's hose, full regular made and guaranteed fast black, regularly 15c pair; now 9c

BUYING POSSIBILITIES ARE GREAT AT THIS STORE

Lots of merchandise which you need and which we wish to close out, are being offered in many instances less than cost to insure a speedy exit It will pay you to visit this store often these days to keep in touch with the generous offerings being placed on our counters Come often, you are always welcome here.

WAISTS AT 50c

Fine qualities of lawn and voile waists, made with the new style collars, nicely trimmed, some embroidered, these waists were made to sell for $1.00, but by a fortunate purchase we are able to sell them at 59c

WAISTS AT $1.00

Exceptionally pretty styles in the new model waists, made of fine materials, very handsomely trimmed with laces and embroideries, new collars and cuffs, made to retail at $1.95. By a price concession we are selling them at $1.00

Our Spring White Sale Begins Monday Morning, Feb. 8

We've been weeks in preparation for this Great Sale; it will not be an "over-night" event, gotten up hurriedly to bring you here to see "soiled" merchandise. The goods are all new, bought after searching the market carefully and comparing hundreds of samples We promise you the greatest values in white goods ever offered in this city. Better Qualities—Better Values—Better Prices. Be sure and see Saturday's issue of The Connellsville Courier for full particulars Our page advertisement in that paper will prove interesting and valuable reading

WONDERFUL BLANKET BARGAINS

We've sold scores of Blankets in the past few days, still we have more which we wish to close quickly. Don't delay in coming for at the prices they are moving very fast.

$1.00 Blankets 75c
$1.25 Blankets 90c
$5.00 Blankets $3 50
$8.00 Blankets $4 25
$10.00 Blankets $6.00
$5.00 Comforts $4 00

FACE VEILS are now much in demand. We are showing the very latest concelts in black and colors at 50c and 89c.

THE E. DUNN STORE

CUTHBERTSON & ROE

CONNELLSVILLE, PENNA.

BARGAIN TABLE

of women's handkerchiefs, including colored borders, plain white linen with ¼ in. hems, also colored mull, values up to 12½c; at 5c

CHILDREN'S DRESSES

A fine lot of children's colored dresses for ages 2 to 14, pretty styles and colorings formerly priced at 79c and 89c, at 49c

WOMEN'S HOSE

Women's silk hose in fine quality, that regularly sell at $1 00 and $1.50, in colors, sand, gray, navy, brown, tan and black, pair 79c

CHILDREN'S ROMPERS

Well made children's rompers, in a pretty line of styles and colorings, in checks, and combinations, values up to 50c (3 for $1.00) at 35c

CHILDREN'S HATS at One-Half

25c Hats 13c
50c Hats 25c
75c Hats 37½c
$1.00 Hats 50c

These are great bargains.

OUTING FLANNEL

The same quality you pay 12½c yd. elsewhere, a splendid line of colorings in stripes and checks, yard 8c

DRESS GINGHAMS

in an exceptionally fine quality, 32 in wide, which sells regularly the country over at 18c yard, yard 10c

HAVE YOU A CHILD?

Many women long for children, but because of some curable physical derangement are deprived of this greatest of all happiness

The women whose names follow were restored to normal health by Lydia E Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Write and ask them about it

"I took your Compound and have a fine, strong baby."—Mrs. JOHN MITCHELL, Massena, N. Y.

"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a wonderful medicine for expectant mothers."—Mrs A. M. MYERS, Gordonville, Mo.

"I highly recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound before child-birth, it has done so much for me."—Mrs. E. M. DOERR, R. R. 1, Conshohocken, Pa.

"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to build up my system and have the dearest baby girl in the world."—Mrs. ROSE BLAKELEY, Coalport, Pa.

"I praise the Compound whenever I have a chance. It did so much for me before my little girl was born."—Mrs. E. W. SANDERS, Rowlesburg, W. Va.

"I took your Compound before baby was born and feel I owe my life to it."—Mrs. WINNIE TILLIS, Winter Haven, Florida.

CHANGE AMONG CLERKS

Dunbar Man to be Chief Clerk at P. R. R. Freight Office

According to unofficial reports, the change of agents in the Pennsylvania railroad service which went into effect Monday, will cause a number of promotions among the clerical force according to seniority

The promotion of Joseph Webb, chief clerk at Connellsville, to be extra agent will bring Sherman Robinson chief clerk at Dunbar to Connellsville O C Harmon, clerk at the West Side station, is slated to go to Dunbar and a man from the clerical force here will be moved up to fill the vacancy on the West Side

O. L Crobbs former agent here, left for Greensburg to assume his new duties there this morning He will move his family from his present home in Dunbar in a short time B C Cook, the new agent here, has not yet arrived from South Fork.

PERSONAL.

Solsson Theatre today, Ethel Barrymore in "The Nightingale" "The Governor Maker," "Hubby's Cure," (comedy) The Animated Weekly. Great bill 5c and 10c.—Adv.

"The Man From Home," a five-reel motion picture, is the attraction at the Colonial Theatre tomorrow afternoon and night.—Adv

Russell Straub, a brother of A. A. Straub, is arranging to move his family from Hazlewood to Connellsville next week.

Betty Thomas who was injured in a coasting accident Saturday night, accompanied by her parents Mr and Mrs D. C Thomas returned to her home in Pittsburg this morning Her aunt Mrs O L. Eaton, also accompanied them.

Mrs Frank Hellen and small son, Michael Hurley Hellen, and Miss Margaret Artman, a trained nurse, left this morning for Saint Petersburg, Fla., for the benefit of Mrs. Hellen's health They will be absent for several months

Miss Leora Young, of Rockwood, returned home this morning after a visit with friends here

Miss Lilian Crossland of Winnipeg, Can., Miss Anna Jacobs of Dunbar, and Mrs. William B. Strickler of Fairchance road, are the guests of the latter's mother, Mrs Sarah Potter.

Mrs. John F Kooser of New Castle is the guest of her son, E R Kooser, of the South Side

Mr. and Mrs C E. Wilson of Dunbar were among those who saw the show at the Colonial last night

Miss Nannie Moore of New Salem has returned home after a visit with friends here

G A. Hain was in Uniontown yesterday on business

T B Palmer of Uniontown was in town this morning

METAL AUTHORITY COMING

Prof. James Ashton Leaves University for Pittsburg Station

It was announced at Cincinnati in both university and government circles that Prof James Ashton has resigned the chair of metallurgy at the University of Cincinnati to accept the position of metallurgical engineer at the United States Bureau of Mines at Pittsburg, and would soon leave for that city to assume his new duties there in April

The fact that Prof Ashton expected to accept the government position, leaving the educational field, came as a decided surprise owing to the fact that he had gained an authoritative position nationally as a metallurgist, while a member of the Cincinnati University faculty

LOCOMOTIVES ORDERED.

Lima, Ohio, Corporation Gets Contract for Twenty-five

Contracts for the purchase of 25 of the largest type locomotives from a Lima Ohio, corporation were signed today by the Illinois Central The first of the engines will be delivered about March 15

The total value of the order is more than $1 000 000 and will make work for from 3,000 to 4,000 men.

SETTLEMENT MAY BE NEAR IN OHIO STRIKE

Board of Arbitration is Proposed to Bring About an Agreement Between Warring Factions.

CLEVELAND, Feb 3.—Settlement of the strike of 15,000 coal miners in the Eastern Ohio field may be put up to an arbitration board of nine members, three to be named by each side to the controversy and three others to be chosen by United States Judges John H. Clarke of Cleveland and John M Killits of Toledo

The proposal made by members of the Eastern Ohio coal operators in a counter proposal to one submitted by the miners last week, had not been accepted when the conference of miners and operators in the presence of government conciliators adjourned yesterday

The conference was resumed today in the Hollenden Hotel.

According to the operators proposal the judgment of this board of nine arbitrators was to be final on all matters in controversy.

When the conference opened early yesterday the officials of the United Mine Workers were said to have offered an amendment to the arbitration proposal made last week. In this amendment it was proposed that each side name two arbitrators a fifth to be named by Secretary Wilson of the Department of Labor

It was also understood last night at the close of the conference that the conciliators have requested the miners and operators to submit in writing a statement as to whether they are willing for the mines to resume operation pending arbitration on the wage scale offered by the operators several weeks ago This was 58 cents a ton for lump and 22 cents for fine coal

Hospital Report Made.

Miss Rebecca Clowes superintendent of the Cottage State Hospital this morning submitted the following report for the month of January Number of patients at the beginning of the month, 22 admitted, 36 discharged, 30, remaining 27.

Girl Theatre Ushers

The Globe Theatre has inaugurated an innovation by hiring girl ushers The young ladies are giving polite and efficient service

MORE ACCURATELY STATED

His father spent a fortune on that boy

Why, I understood that the boy did the spending.

TOO BAD.

Daddy Santa certainly brought you a lot for Christmas, you ought to be very thankful

Johnny: Aw! de're all useful things.

Rheumatism

For Young and Old

The acute agonizing pain of rheumatism is soothed at once by Sloan's Liniment. Do not rub—it penetrates to the sore spot, bringing a comfort not dreamed of until tried. Get a bottle today.

RHEUMATISM.

Here What Others Say:

"I highly recommend your Liniment as the best remedy for rheumatism I ever used Before using it I spent large sums of money trying to get relief of the misery and pains in limbs and body, so I tried your Liniment both internal and external and I found quick relief, and now am well and strong again."—Geo. Curtis, 225 N. 15th St., Springfield, Ill.

Here's Proof

"I wish to write and tell you about a fall I had down fourteen steps, and bruised my neck and hip very bad I could not sleep at all I sent my wife for a 25 cent bottle of your Liniment and in two days' time I was on my feet again."—Charles Hyde, 1365½ Prairie Ave., St Louis, Mo.

SLOAN'S LINIMENT

for neuralgia, sciatica, sprains and bruises.

All Druggists, 25c.

Send four cents in stamps for a TRIAL BOTTLE

Dr. Earl S. Sloan, Inc. Dept. B. Philadelphia, Pa.

OLD-TIME COLD CURE—DRINK TEA!

Get a small package of Hamburg Breast Tea, or as the German folks call it, Hamburger Brust Thee at any pharmacy Take a tablespoonful of the tea, put a cup of boiling water upon it, pour through a sieve and drink a teacup full at any time It is the most effective way to break a cold and cure grip, as it opens the pores relieving congestion Also loosens the bowels thus breaking a cold at once

It is inexpensive and entirely vegetable, therefore harmless.—Adv

Public Bean Supper

A public bean supper will be held in the Y M C A. assembly room on Friday night to raise money for camp next summer. Baer's baked beans will be served.

The Entire Stock of Goldstone Bros.

TITLE & TRUST CO. BUILDING, ON PITTSBURG STREET, NEAR MAIN

Against Whom a Petition in Bankruptcy Was Filed Recently in the U. S. Court, Will Be Put on Sale

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 4th, 1915

And will be Continued for a Few Days Until Everything is Sold as THE ENTIRE STOCK MUST BE SOLD

This sale is of great importance to the entire male population of Connellsville and vicinity for various reasons. The merchandise carried by Goldstone Bros. being of the very best insures the purchaser of getting the best. The prices at which the entire stock will be sold for will break all records for lowness. The stock being so large makes your selection easy, particularly so to early purchasers.

The stock consists of Sam Peck Clothes for Boys; Clothes of Culture for Young Men; Adler's Collegian Clothes for Men and Young Men; Skill Kraft Clothes for Men. No Better Clothes Made Anywhere.

Here is a Partial List of Wonderful Values That a Sale of This Nature Only Can Offer:

Men's and Boys' Bath

$4.00 robes $2.25
$5 robes $2.95
$6 robes $3.25
$7 and $8 robes $4.65
$3 boys' robes $1.75

250 doz. Arrow collars, 3 for 25c; doz. $1

Blue chambria and black sateen work shirts, 35c or 3 for $1.00

$1.00 Monarch shirts, slightly soiled.. 35c

Extra special—a lot of boys' suits, values, up to $4.50, each $1.00

Boys' hose, 25c value, double heel and toe, at 11c

$1 and $1.25 union made overalls at 73c

Mackinaw Coats

$5 and $6 coats $3.50
$7 and $8 coats $4.50
$10 and $12 Coats $5.50
$15 guaranteed water proof cravanetted coats at $7.50

GREATEST SHOE VALUES EVER OFFERED.

All $3.00 shoes at $2.35
All $4.00 shoes at $2.75
All $4.50 shoes at $2.95
All $5.00 shoes at $3.25

Suit cases and traveling bags at less than one half.

50c Knee Pants 33c
$1.00 knee pants 69c
$1.50 knee pants 85c

MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS; PRICES SLASHED AS NEVER BEFORE.

$10 suits and overcoats $5.95
$15 suits and overcoats $7.90
$18 suits and overcoats $9.65
$30 suits and overcoats $14.87
$20 suits and overcoats $11.90
$25 suits and overcoats $12.90

Men—This is certainly a great chance offered you to get a suit or overcoat at above prices of this stock; you get the best.

STIFF AND SOFT HATS

$2.00 Hats $1.00
$2.50 hats $1.25
$3.00 hats $1.85

All 50c ties 35c, or 3 for $1.00
$1.00 fleece or ribbed union suits.... 69c
All $1 dress shirts 69c

BOY'S AND CHILDREN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS AT NEXT-TO-NOTHING PRICES.

$4.00 suits and overcoats $1.95
$5 suits and overcoats $2.95
$6 and $7 suits and overcoats $3.95
$8 and $10 suits and overcoats at .. $4.95
$12 suits and overcoats at $6.95

Sam Peck and Best Ever Guaranteed Boys' Clothes

Special lot of dress shirts, values up to $2.00, your choice at 69c

Boys' and children's waists, Cadet make at 35c

50c and 75c underwear, fleece or ribbed at 33c

DRESS PANTS AT LESS THAN HALF THE COST OF CLOTH

All $3.00 pants at $1.65
All $4.00 pants at $2.25
All $5.00 pants at $2.85
All $6.00 pants at $3.25

Blue serges included.

10c hose 5c
15c hose 9c
25c silk and lisle hose 17c

Muslin or Flanelette Night Robes

$1.00 Night Robes 63c
50c Night Robes 33c

An extra force of salespeople will attend to your wants.

We could not possibly mention here everything that is in this big stock and which must and will be sold out complete. The High Grade merchandise, the size and completeness of the stock and the Wonderful Bargains will amaze you.

BE HERE THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 4th, AT 9 A. M. SHARP.

MOUNT PLEASANT

Special to The Courier.

MOUNT PLEASANT, Feb. 3.—The banns of Rudolph Steiner of this place and Kate Love of Scottdale were called out at the local St. Joseph's Church on Sunday.

Dr. Mary Marsh entertained the ladies of the Re-Union Presbyterian Aid Society at her Main street home on Monday evening. The regular routine business was gone through with and bids were received for the repairs about to be made on the church. The repairs the ladies expect to make are the adding of a stairs from the small room to the right where their cupboards are to the cellar, making it much more convenient for the ladies when preparing a meal or serving at the church. The committee to go over the bids and confer with the contractor was Dr. Mary Marsh, Mrs. D. L. Stones, Mrs. H. C. Doncaster and Mrs. D. M. Pilsman.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. held their regular monthly meeting yesterday afternoon and paid off all bills for the month. Following this the ladies made partial arrangements for the Frances Willard Memorial Services to be held February 14th instead of February 17th. The place nor the speakers have not yet been decided.

Stanlaw Formal, the nine-day-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Formal who died yesterday will be buried in the Polish cemetery today following funeral services at the Polish church.

The First Ward hose company held a meeting at their rooms last evening. After the business session, an inch nozzle that had been hushed down to three-quarters of an inch was tried out but was a failure. Superintendent Harry Gilck, of the Mount Pleasant Water Company attended the test.

Mrs. John D. Hitchman is spending a few days in New York City.

Miss Rosa Patterson returned yesterday from Morgantown, W. Va., where she spent a few days.

Mrs. M. S. Brinker was calling in Uniontown on Monday.

Mrs. Martha Mechling has gone to Swissvale to visit her daughter, Mrs. Pyle and Mrs. Fishell.

INDIAN CREEK

INDIAN CREEK, Feb. 3.—The groundhog surely seen his shadow today.

Leslie Sparks, from Indian Head, was a business caller at Roaring Run today.

Rev. I. R. Fletcher and family were the guests of James Lehr.

Isaac and Morrison Kalp from Walnut Hill, were transacting business at Davidson yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Teets spent a day with friends at the McFarland lumber camp.

S. E. Solomon and family from Champion, spent a day with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Fletcher of Roaring Run.

Mrs. G. F. Newell was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Tetwilliger.

Charles Shrock from Connellsville is spending a few days with John Kolp of Fredline Center.

A spelling bee was held in the Jones Mill school house. The attendance was good.

Mrs. William Miller, Earl and Pearl Miller, Helen Davis Sparks and Frank Sparks were calling on Roaring Run friends.

Mrs. Henry Miller and Mrs. Calvin Withrout spent a day with Mrs. Paxon Gray.

Mrs. Ira Dumbauld of Connellsville, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Fletcher at Roaring Run.

The Yough river is at flood stage today.

Miss Florence Tewilliger from Roaring Run, is spending today among Connellsville friends and shopping.

Miss Annie Green from Indian Head, left for Pittsburg yesterday morning to spend a few days among friends.

Lud F. Miller from Rogers Mill, is transacting business in Connellsville.

Philip Garey, from Roaring Run, spent yesterday among Connellsville friends.

E. S. Barnes, from Connellsville, was along the Valley yesterday on business.

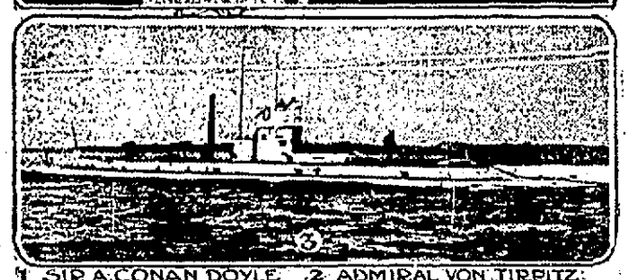
J. H. Barger from Indian Head, was transacting business in Connellsville and Uniontown yesterday.

J. M. Stauffer from Scottdale, was a business caller here yesterday.

J. J. Baer spent yesterday among home friends in Meyersdale.

Patronize those who advertise.

VON TIRPITZ'S PLAN IS WORKING IN SUBMARINE RAIDS ON ENGLISH SHIPS; WAS CONAN DOYLE RIGHT IN "DANGER?"



1. SIR A. CONAN DOYLE 2. ADMIRAL VON TIRPITZ 3. GERMAN SUBMARINE.

New seagoing submarines, supposedly capable of cruising far from their base, are apparently beginning active warfare on England's merchant ships within sight of the island kingdom. What Admiral von Tirpitz, head of the German navy, said ought to happen soon is apparently coming to pass. What Sir A. Conan Doyle, the famous English novelist, predicted would happen in his new short story, "Danger," may become a fact. Von Tirpitz claimed that Germany's biggest chance of success against England would be to starve her out by submarine raids on her marine commerce, preventing ships from supplying the island with food and war materials. Already several merchant ships have been sunk near England's shores. Von Tirpitz's plan is apparently working. Doyle, who, as everybody knows, is the creator of the Famous Sherlock Holmes, predicted in "Danger" that a foreign power could bring England to her knees within six months by raiding merchant ships with submarines at the principal harbors of the island and thus starve the kingdom out. He claimed the enemy would not have to bother with England's powerful navy, except to evade the warships, but could win by submarines alone. A novel solution, he suggested, would be to build a tunnel under the English channel to France.

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"California Syrup of Figs" can't Harm Tender Stomach or Bowels.

A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish; stomach sour.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has sore throat or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" is oftimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Look carefully and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."—Adv.

MEYERSDALE

MEYERSDALE, Feb. 3.—David Menges, one of Meyersdale's draymen, was seized by an attack of appendicitis last week and on Friday left for Johnstown, where he entered the Memorial Hospital for an operation which was performed on Saturday. Word from that institution yesterday was that the patient was getting along nicely.

The regular monthly meeting of the Civic League will be held Thursday afternoon in the municipal building. All ladies are urged to be present as business of importance will be transacted.

Miss Estella Miller, who is teaching school at Stoyestown, has returned to her duties after spending a few days here and at Salisbury, visiting relatives and friends.

W. H. Habel, senior member of the firm of Habel & Phillips, was a business visitor to Frostburg, Md., Tuesday.

Miss Alice Friedline returned yesterday from Cumberland, where she had spent a week with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. S. England of Bedford are visiting their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Dahl.

J. R. Swingle, an insurance agent of Altoona, was transacting business in our city Tuesday.

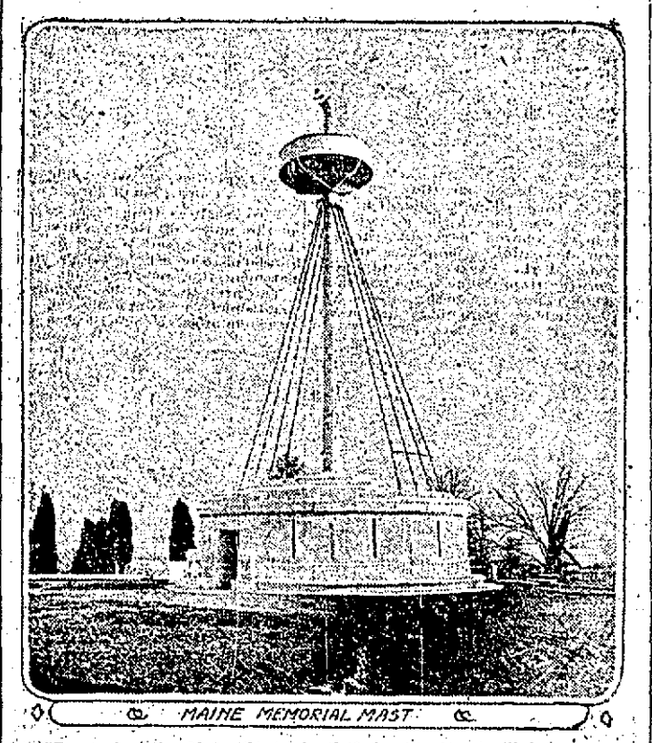
Mrs. W. E. Payne spent Tuesday in Cumberland shopping and calling on friends.

Mrs. Ezra Deal and daughter have returned to Cumberland after a few days visit here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Deal of Main street.

Mrs. C. H. Diveley and grandson Edward Diveley left this morning for Connellsville, where they were called by the death of the former's nephew Emerson S. Bitner, whose funeral will take place at the Mount Olive Church this afternoon.

Miss Elizabeth Connihan returned to Connellsville yesterday after a month's visit here with relatives.

"REMEMBER THE MAINE!" ONCE MORE THAT FAMOUS PHRASE WILL BE HEARD AT DEDICATION OF MAINE MEMORIAL



MAINE MEMORIAL MAST

"Remember the Maine!" Again that famous term will bear concrete fruit in the formal dedication of the national Maine memorial in Arlington cemetery, Washington, D. C. On February 15, the seventeenth anniversary of the sinking of the old battleship Maine in Havana harbor, this memorial will be formally dedicated. The memorial consists of the original mainmast of the battleship set in a concrete foundation to resemble the turret of a warship. This foundation is a mausoleum fourteen feet high and twenty-six feet in diameter. On the sides are panels inscribed with the names of the victims of the Maine. President Wilson, Secretary of the Navy Daniels and Rear Admiral C. D. Sigsbee, retired, commander of the old Maine, will speak at the exercises.

OHIOPYLE

OHIOPYLE, Feb. 3.—Samuel Rankin and James Collins of Connellsville, are business callers here.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Woodmency and baby of Philadelphia, who are visiting at Bear Run, spent Tuesday calling on friends here.

Mr. Richards of Uniontown was here on business yesterday.

Mrs. William Johnson and son returned to their home here yesterday, after a short visit in Connellsville and Uniontown.

Harry Jackson of Somerfield was a caller here yesterday.

Dr. Cottom of Dawson, was a caller here yesterday.

All the people are anxious at Ohiopyle. What for? Why The Courier each evening to read "Peg 'O My Heart." A very interesting story.

I. F. Woodmency was a business caller in Connellsville yesterday.

B. Harris was here on business yesterday.

"The Best Laxative I Know of."

"I have sold Chamberlain's Tablets for several years. People who have used them will take nothing else. I can recommend them to my customers as the best laxative and cure for constipation that I know of," writes Frank Strouse, Fruitland, Iowa. For sale by all dealers.—Adv.

CITY LEAGUE

The Cubs took two straight games from the Rebels on the Temple alleys last night. The score:

CUBS.			
Young	126	129	255
F. Jones	111	117	228
Black	118	104	222
McIntyre	100	118	218
Boehm	99	98	197
Total	554	566	1120

REBELS.			
Miller	113	113	226
Dilworth	97	114	211
Evans	101	120	231
Brooks	85	110	195
Brown	112	86	198
Total	508	553	1061

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Cubs	21	11	.656
Rebels	19	13	.625
Has Beens	14	16	.466
Go-Devils	14	16	.466
Braves	13	16	.407
Pirates	10	17	.370

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IMPARTIAL NEWS SERVICE.

The Connellsville News attempts to tell its readers the difference between the telegraphic service of the Associated Press and the United Press. There is no comparison between the services. Readers need only compare them in The Courier and The News to see the difference.

The present outburst of our contemporary is based on the statement of one Amos Pinchot that the Associated Press is unfair to labor. We do not know how much stock Pinchot and his friends have in the United Press, but we do know that during the Progressive movement the United Press betrayed a pronounced prejudice in favor of it. The Associated Press, on the other hand, has during a long series of years sustained a reputation for strict impartiality.

A little reflection will enable the unprejudiced observer to understand why this should be so. The Associated Press is not a corporation for profit like the United Press and other press associations, but merely an association of newspapers of all shades of political and industrial opinion for the purpose of gathering the news. Every newspaper is a member of the association with a voice in its affairs. An association so organized and conducted cannot be otherwise than impartial, and the Associated Press is so sure of its position that it unblinkingly quotes attacks made upon it from other sources.

Another peculiar fact about the Associated Press service is that it is always found in the best newspapers.

MONGRELS.

Representative T. R. Lynch of Fayette county has introduced a bill in the Legislature tending to reduce the number of worthless dogs which abound in the Connellsville coke region and which are in a large degree responsible for the sheep-killing claims the counties of Fayette and Westmoreland pay annually.

The bill serves a good purpose, but it ought to be supplemented by legislation still further regulating dogs. Owners of dogs should be responsible for them and to pay taxes on them. Vicious dogs should not be permitted at large under any circumstances, and it is a serious question whether they should be permitted at all. They are among the undesirables.

Good dogs capable of being trained to useful domestic service are valuable and their breeding under proper conditions should be encouraged, but some means should be provided for checking and regulating the cloud of worthless mongrels which overrun the country and add to the cost of the *poor man's living* and the terror of everybody's existence.

The Uniontown Standard makes an eloquent plea for the bleeding *foreigner*. The Democratic majority in congress is busy trying to keep the foreigner out of the country, but the President has vetoed the effort. The Standard is nothing if not an administration organ.

London is in danger of contracting Zeppelinitis.

The alleged German officer who attempted to blow up the international bridge at Vanceboro, Me., was entirely too anxious to brag about his feat and himself. He will probably be found to be a crank.

The Workman's Compensation act introduced this week makes it optional on the part of employers to become subject to its *provisions*. We doubt the sufficiency of this. It reminds us of what Lincoln said about the enduring powers of a nation half slave and half free.

The city sealer of weights and measures is evidently making an honest effort to earn his salary.

Parsonages must pay *taxes* like other property, says the solicitor of the school board. The assessors will have a perplexing time assessing the new Presbyterian Church.

Somerset county has accumulated its customary murder case.

A bill has been introduced in congress authorizing the Interstate Commerce Commission to investigate the quality of coal being sold by retail dealers with a view to eliminating slate and securing the best grade of fuel to poor consumers. Some people have funny notions of the duties of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

The Connellsville coke region is smoking up.

The air of the Connellsville coke region is full of sulphurous prosperity.

With a big balance of trade in our favor, there is no reason why this nation should not be prosperous. The tide has turned. Things are coming our way. The Democratic party couldn't spoil the crops or prevent the foreign war.

By industrious seeking in the barrooms any bibulous citizen can accumulate a package, whether he has lost one or not.

The Weather Bureau doesn't believe in the groundhog. Professional jealousy perhaps.

Some desirable Democratic appointments are coming to Connellsville just now. The Courier congratulates the Democratic administration upon its wise selections.

The latest story is that Andrew Carnegie is backing J. V. Thompson. If this be true, there is no further need of the Coal pool.

The price of bread has been advanced in Chicago and other cities from five to six cents per loaf. The high cost of living is not falling, but in the Connellsville region at least it looks as if employment and income of labor were approaching a better plane.

Uncle Sam is still shy on income, and economy is a stranger to Democratic administration. We will have a bond issue yet.

The Kentucky professional politicians are being tried in blocks of fifty. It is not stated how they were voted.

The Spanish war veterans have come to be the real thing. Ere long they will be the only thing. It's a melancholy satisfaction, though.

The last seen of the groundhog he was riding down the Yough on a log.

Connellsville's night school is one of the popular institutions, and one of the most useful. It should be encouraged.

The Western Pennsylvania postmasters exhibit a commendable interest in the *discussion of their duties*.

The commercial experts who predicted that the war wouldn't last sixty days ought to be sent to join the groundhog.

It is to be hoped that the White House baby does not acquire the night session habit.

It looks as if the political parties were going to the country on the Ship Purchase bill.

It begins to look as if the European War would resolve itself into a fight for food.

College Glee Clubs

By GEORGE FITCH,
Author of "At Good Old Siwash."

A college glee club is a compact and well drilled body of men who escape from the campus usually during the Christmas holidays and penetrate long distances into the peaceful country, leaving a light blue wake with pink trimmings.

Glee clubs are so called because of the glee with which they make their trips. Next to a chance to promenade a few yards over the collarbones of a rival football team the dearest ambition of the college student is to become a member of the glee club and travel in a private car. No man can know the full possibilities of travel in a Pullman car unless he has journeyed with a glee club whose sophomore members have spent the night throwing all the shoes they could find at the station agents as the train whizzed by.

It is also customary in high class college choral work to call some fresh

Sang playful college songs.

man member at 8 A. M. and to watch him trying to find his clothes in order to get off in 10 minutes at a station which the train will not reach until after breakfast.

Owing to these and other scientific methods, the art of music has been greatly developed in our colleges and thousands of each listeners swarm to the theatre each year to hear the merry college boys. Formerly these boys sang playful college songs such as "Polly Wolly Doodle" and "Bringalungalong." But nowadays they are more classical in their tastes. The "Soldiers' Chorus" is about as low down as the average glee club will go nowadays. This brings these organizations into active competition with grand opera and sends the audience away better men and women, but it confines the glee too strictly to the journey between stations.

*Glee clubbing is the greatest en*durance feat performed by the young American. Unless a young man can attend two receptions per afternoon, an alumni dinner each evening, can sing afterwards until 12, can defend himself from kind friends all night and can tell an average of 35 pretty girls daily just how grand college life really is, he should not attempt to glee club very much. He should try some lighter form of endeavor like going to war.

SETTLES THE ARGUMENT

Mayor Decides Dispute by Sending Jerry to County Jail.

After Jerry Johnson of near Dawson, and City Clerk Bixler had quite a lengthy argument in police court this morning as to how much Jerry had worked in the last 30 years, Mayor Marietta announced that he would "*compromise*" in the prisoner's case.

"We'll compromise by sending you to jail for 20 days unless you pay $20 fine," he declared, and Jerry, being without the $20 will have to go to jail. In vain he protested that he hadn't done anything.

Squire Bixler said he knew Jerry, but had not known him to work much in 30 years. He told of giving the man an overcoat some days ago when he applied at his home on Murphy avenue. Asked where it had gone, Jerry explained that some fellows out on the ovens had taken it from him and burned it up.

Robert Matrigue, 50, of South Connellsville, arrested as a drunk on Main street yesterday afternoon, told the mayor his condition was due to a blow on the head suffered when he was attacked by two men. Later he decided that a telegraph pole had fallen on him. He was committed for five days in default of $5 fine.

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Try our classified ads. One cent a word. Results follow.

MOTHER'S KNITTING SOCKS FOR SOLDIERS

Classified Advertisements.

Wanted.

WANTED — YOUR BARBERING BUSINESS RENDINE'S. 5laugtfd.

WANTED—DININGROOM GIRL AT BAXTER'S RESTAURANT. 3feb2td

WANTED—BOARDERS IN PRIVATE family, $20 month. 628 HIGHLAND avenue. 3feb2td*

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Apply MRS. ANA B SCHMITZ, 106 W. Main Street. 3febtf

WANTED — DISC TALKING machine. State make, size, condition and price. Address "C" care Courier. 2feb3td*

WANTED—AT KEYSTONE SHOEshine. All kinds hats cleaned, blocked and repaired. Chair for ladies, 170 W. Main Street. CHAS CACOS. 3feb2td*

WANTED—YOU TO KNOW THAT F. P. Welker will do your plumbing, heating and tinning work right and reasonable. Both Phones.
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WANTED—GIRLS MAKE $2.00 TO $4.00 per day selling big labor-saving 10c article. Acuro repeater. For particulars write THE WELLS COMPANY, Republic, Pa. 3feb2td*

WANTED — WOMEN — PLAIN machine sewing at home; material furnished no canvassing; good money; send stamp for particulars. Portland Publ., box 2010, Boston, Mass. 3feb3td*

WANTED — RAILWAY MAIL clerks, $75.00 month. Pull unnecessary. Frequent examinations. Sample questions free. FRANKLIN INSTITUTE, Dept 371-B, Rochester, N. Y.
1feb-mon-wed-fri-sat

WANTED — LADY ORGANIZERS for the American Insurance Union in Scottdale, Vanderbilt and Connellsville. Will pay good commission. Apply L. A. SIMMONS, District Organizer, Box 318, Everson, Pa. 2feb2td*

For Rent.

FOR RENT—HOUSE. E. GIBSON avenue. Bell phone 41-R. 1febtfd

FOR RENT—TWO APARTMENTS. Heat furnished. MRS. HARRY FORD, 405 S. Eighth street. 1febdtd

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS for housekeeping, 300 E. MAIN. 31dec-tfd

FOR RENT—FIVE ROOM HOUSE South Arch street. Reduced rent. Inquire KAIL'S BANK. 28jantfd

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping, with bath, 803 W. MAIN STREET. 12jantfd

FOR RENT—6 ROOM HOUSE, EAST Fayette street. All modern conveniences. Inquire DR. FRANCIS. 1febtfd

FOR RENT—TWO FIVE ROOM houses with bath. Inquire 217 Carnegie avenue and Market street. 2febtfd

FOR RENT—DWELLINGS IN ALL sections of Connellsville and South Connellsville at reduced prices. J. A. MASON, 305 Second National Bank Building. 3febtfd

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS by the day, week or month. Spaghetti will be served on request. Apply McCauley apartments, formerly Wyman Hotel. M. DONNADIO, Proprietor.
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For Sale.

FOR SALE—27 ACRE FARM, 6 room house and barn; good water, for $2,500. E. P. DeWITT, Brennen Bldg. Bell phone 90-R, Scottdale, Pa. 1feb2td

FOR SALE—VIRGINIA IMPROVED farm, 407 acres on Washington to Richmond automobile highway; 2½ miles from station, convenient to Washington or Richmond; 10 room colonial brick residence in a large shade grove, nice orchard, price $22.00 per acre; terms easy. Write to ANTON H. THIERMANN, Richmond, Va. 3feb3td*

For Sale.

FOR SALE—GAS RANGE PERFECT condition. Sell cheap, leaving town. 109 Sixth street. 2feb2td*

FOR SALE—20 ACRES IN CITRUS fruit section of Southwest Texas, 187 miles south of San Antonio. A bargain. For particulars address BOX 144, Connellsville, Pa. 3feb

FOR SALE—FARM—270 A. IN Kingman Co., Kansas, 180 A. cult., all tillable, best of improvements, must be seen. J. G. GLASGOW, R. 3, Kingman, Kan. 20jan5td*

FOR SALE—FARMS, STOCK, GRAIN, truck, poultry, water fronts and gunning shores, mild climate, fish and oysters. C. S. DAY, Pocomoke City, Md. 30jan3twed-sat*

FOR SALE—COLONIZATION PROPOsition—all or part of 10,000 a. in Nassau Co., Fla.; 250 a. cult., 13 r. house, outbuildings, pecan grove, etc.; $12 per a. WM. JOHNSON, Crawford, Florida. 3feb3td*

FOR SALE—THE LEADING SHOE store in a thriving town of about 30,000 population, not far from McKeesport, doing a fine business, can be bought right. See EDWARD C. KEARNEY, second floor, People's Bank Bldg. 3feb3td*

FOR SALE—UNDERWOOD'S LATEST models our specialty. All kinds cheap, cash or payments. Visibles rented $2.00 month. Repairs, supplies. The old reliable, established 18 years ago. PHILADELPHIA TYPEWRITER COMPANY, 419 Park Bldg., Pittsburg. 3feb3td*

FOR SALE—RARE OPPORTUNITY to get an upright piano in fine condition by paying balance on account. Over $200 paid. Also player piano. About $210 paid. You can finish payments on these accounts and have piano. Address Box 700, Pittsburg, Pa. 3feb3td

FOR SALE—100 BUCKS CO FARMS that are actually for sale, all sizes, in best farming section in county, 20 to 30 miles to Philadelphia, 1 to 5 miles to Doylestown. Special list. Apply to C. J. WALTER, Edison, Bucks county, Pa. 3feb5td*

FOR SALE—FARMERS, ARE YOU thinking of locating in Pennsylvania, Delaware or Maryland? Write me stating the size, kind and class of farm, price and amount to invest and terms. Have representatives in various sections. H. B. McCOLLUM, No. 1311 Walnut St., Philadelphia. Don't forget the number. 30jan8t-wed-sat

Abe Martin.

Tipton Bud has Cossack whiskers but is still neutral.
Tilford Moots was run t' earth by a Ford yisterday an' laid up for almost an hour.

Lost.

LOST—SILK UMBRELLA WITH gold handle, either in department store or high school bldg. Finder return to Courier Office and receive reward. 3feb1td

Music Teacher.

MISS FLO McDOWELL, TEACHER of piano and accompanist. Bell phone 114. Address 218½ EAST MAIN ST. 2feb1td

Notice of Appeals.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS of the laws of the commonwealth the undersigned commissioners of Fayette County, Pa., hereby give notice to the taxable inhabitants within the respective boroughs and townships of said county in case of real property where buildings and other improvements have been destroyed since the triennial assessment and in case of personal property, offices, professions, trades and occupations where there have been alterations in the assessment occasioning a different valuation from last year and also where persons have come into the county since the triennial *assessment* that the appeals for the year 1915 will be held in the commissioners' office from Thursday, January 28, 1915, to Saturday, February 27, 1915, after which date all appeals will close.

Persons who have money at interest will particularly take notice that at that time the assessment will be closed and that no exonerations can be allowed by the commissioners on money at interest.

The millage for 1915 will be three (3) mills for county purposes, one (1) mill for poor fund and 1½ mills for special road fund.

Tax on male dogs 50 cents each, females $1.00 each.

JOHN S. LANGLEY,
D. H. McCLELLAND,
CHAS H. NUTT,
County Commissioners
Attest
ROBERT POWELL, Clerk.
27jan3t-wed

Say, You!

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Come in and see us about it at your first opportunity. Don't wait until the very last moment but give us a little time and we'll show you what high grade work we can turn out.

Groceries, Provisions, Produce
Highest Quality
Lowest Prices

The man or woman that wants high-class groceries, provisions and produce, the man or woman that wants the lowest legitimate prices, know that the one best place to get them is at a Union Supply Company store, and they are regular; daily; monthly, annually; it is the same thing. We are not afflicted with spasms of offering special prices on one article one day in the week, and perhaps elevating the prices on other articles. It is a systematic regulation all the year round. Groceries, produce and provisions; highest quality; lowest prices. Another inducement is the courteous treatment and prompt delivery of goods. It is not our policy to give quotations, or prices, but we state, without any fear of contradiction, there is no legitimate opposition that can sell or do sell goods at less than us. On quantities of flour, potatoes, apples, sugar, canned goods, and other staples, we give you special prices. It is to your interest to investigate. Go to the nearest Union Supply Company store; consult the manager about our special prices on large quantities; but even if you only want to buy small quantities, it is to your advantage to buy at a Union Supply Company Store.

Union Supply Company

63 Large Department Stores,
Located in Fayette, Westmoreland and Allegheny Counties.

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DO NOT pretend to sell men's $5 and $6 shoes at $2.99.
advertise women's $3.50, $4 and $5 shoes at $1.98.

WE DO NOT sell any shoes we are afraid to stand back of.

WE DO NOT have any sensational sales for the purpose of deceiving our customers.

WE DO NOT sell any shoes less than they cost us.

We do sell good shoes at honest prices and treat all alike.

HOOPER & LONG

FEBRUARY THE BUYER'S OPPORTUNITY

If December represents Yule-Tide and holiday time, and January is associated chiefly with bleak days and bleaker nights, February is historic in the merchandising world for value making.

This is the "between seasons" period. Winter shopping is almost done, and Easter buying has not yet commenced.

Inventory has been taken—the man behind the counter is anxious to lessen "this year's" stocks.

He is willing to sacrifice profits in order to do this.

AND THE COSTOMER'S HOUR HAS STRUCK!

Sales of white goods, silks, in afternoon and evening frocks, hats, furs, wraps, waists, in fact in everything, are being advertised.

Watch the advertising columns of The Courier. They are full of very live news these opportunity days.

SCOTTDALE.

Special to The Courier.

SCOTTDALE, Feb. 3.—Three little boys along about six or seven years old took the idea of becoming merchant princes late Tuesday afternoon and for some hours after nightfall had three homes in anxiety, and nearly exhausted the telephone system in a hunt over the town for them. Having expressed desire to see the high waters about North Scottdale, the wish of the children did not conduce to ease of mind in their home circles. The boys were Charles, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Bates; Paul, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Reynolds, and Edgar, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Camlin. With a sample case belonging in the Bates home the three lads started out to sell spices, teas, soaps, and such articles. Supper time arrived, but no boys. Search of the "movies" was fruitless. About 7 o'clock the telephones were set busy. Traces were found of them. Along with this the boys had told that they would not be home until 9:30. Finally after many calls and tracings of the boys, until track was lost of them, apparently going toward the high waters, the boys finally arrived home. Curfew rings at 8 o'clock. That may have helped. The boys had a great afternoon and had some money to show for it. What else they got at home is not known.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman E. Miller are spending a few days at the former's old home at Indian Head.

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE.

A pretty birthday surprise party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Milligan of Prittstown in honor of their youngest daughter, Charlotte, on Saturday afternoon. The occasion was Charlotte's fourteenth birthday anniversary. The hours were from 1 to 5 o'clock. Twenty of her friends were present and the affair was a well planned surprise. After games and music lunch was served at 4 o'clock.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

The teachers and pupils of South Huntingdon township will hold an institute at Wyano Saturday. The speakers will be Prof. W. G. Duggan, assistant county superintendent, and E. D. Hickman, supervising principal of the North Huntingdon township schools. The teachers program will be: Devotional; W. O. Helstel; roll call, responded to by quotations; music; reading by Elizabeth Hutchinson; "School Management," Blanche Holmes; recitation, Josie Williams; music; discussion on teaching physiology, Nellie Taylor and Mamie Lane; recitation, [illegible] Hough; "School Discipline," Odessa Hager; "Prophecy," Nelson Welsh; paper, Lulu Hough; music; biography of Bayard Taylor, Gail Hough; "Nature Study," A. L. Rowe; essay, Georgia Weaver; recitation, Alma Harper; "Teaching of Spelling," Odessa Marrow; "Are Our Public Schools Progressive?" H. A. Reinhalt; debate, "Resolved, That We Should Not Have a Stronger Navy," affirmative, Edwin Steele and Ethel Johnston; negative, Russell Hilterbrandt and Mary Wisnegerhon.

FOR SALE.

8 room double house for $1,500, on Fifth avenue. A bargain.

10 room double house on Mulberry street, for $2,100.00.

8 room modern house. Cost $3,500; for $2,500. E. F. DeWITT, Brennen Building.—Adv.

AT THE PLAY.

Scottdale was well represented at the Colonial Theatre, Connellsville, Tuesday evening, and the people greatly enjoyed "Potash and Perlmutter," which was excellent in every way. Among those present from the Mill Town were: Miss Eva Ridgeway, Miss Catherine Finnerty, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Clark, Miss Fretts, Miss Margaret Kortwright, Miss Gertrude Reed, Miss Jennie East, Mrs. Harry Kromer, Mrs. John Howells, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Edwards, Miss Ella Ryan, Mrs. J. S. Hill, Miss Mabel Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Albright, Miss Elsie Muir, Miss Florence Muir, Miss Gertrude Cox, Miss Verne Fitzsimmons, Miss Anna Collins, Miss Hilda Byrne, Miss Mabel Rosensteel, Mrs. Russell Hockenbury, Mrs. Randall Ruse, Frank Williams, Samuel Miller, Edward Finnerty, Clayton Uher, Charles Lewellyn, H. A. Colborn, Fred Seman, James M. Hurst, R. E. Morford, Grover Cook, Joseph A. Yahner, James Donohoe, Robert Ryan, John Ryan, Julius Hornberg, Edward Byrne, J. T. Hambry, C. H. Loucks, C. B. Newcomer, Milo Thompson, E. Ralph Loucks, B. C. Fretts, T. J. Hill, Bert Zearley, J. R. Stauffer, Carlisle Bell, Ray Martz, M. D. Hastings, Clarence Dick, Fred Jarrett, Herbert T. Watson, Frank Doorley and Andrew P. Doorley.

NOTES.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Dawson are home from a trip to San Francisco and other western cities.

Jefferson King of Owensdale delivered an interesting address at the Mount Carmel Sunday school, Prittstown, last Sunday morning.

Mrs. W. H. Strickler returned to her home in Wilkinsburg on Tuesday after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. F. W. Moorhead.

The Custer Sisters have gone to New York to do their spring buying.

Miss Ruth Coughenour spent the week-end with her friend, Miss Pearl Crosby of Youngwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Peterson were visiting in McKeesport over Sunday.

E. E. Shelkey met with a painful accident while loading rails on a car, having caught one of his fingers between the rails, the finger being mashed off at the end.

Mrs. Charles Johnson and [illegible] Robert Greenawalt [illegible] in Youngstown, O.

Edwin Ericson while coasting on Mulberry street got in a wreck and had one of his legs broken.

Mrs. Joseph Teed has returned from a visit with friends in Greensburg.

Swan Hanson of North Scottdale has returned from a trip to Pittsburg where he fitted himself out with a new cork leg, to take the place of an artificial leg which had worn out.

W. G. Stambaugh of Houston, Tex., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dick, with whom Mrs. Stambaugh, who before her marriage was Miss Erma Dick, has been spending the winter with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Greenawalt of Winchester, Va., are here visiting the former's grandparents, C. M. Greenawalt and D. H. Welthour. The couple are here on their honeymoon trip.

Keep Your Lungs Strong

This advice is doubly important with the knowledge that every three minutes some one in the United States succumbs to consumption and many refuse to realize they are afflicted until it is too late.

It is after colds or sickness, from overwork, confining duties or when general weakness exists that tubercular germs thrive because the resistive powers of the body are weakened.

Only with fresh air, sunshine and abundant rich blood can one hope to arrest their progress, and the concentrated fats in Scott's Emulsion furnish fuel for rich blood, and its rare nourishment helps strengthen the lungs while it builds up the forces.

If you work indoors, tire easily, feel languid or run-down Scott's Emulsion is the most strengthening food-medicine known and is free from alcohol or stupefying drugs. Avoid substitutes.

14-45 Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.

Alpine Chasseurs Aerial Gun Experts; Bullet Brought This Aeroplane Down.

1 FRENCH ALPINE CHASSEURS WITH AERIAL GUN 2. ENGLISH AEROPLANE WRECKED

COLONIAL SHOW PLEASES

Potash and Perlmutter Played Here by Splendid Company.

Everyone of the large audience that saw "Potash and Perlmutter" at the Colonial Theatre last night was pleased with the show, which is saying a good deal for it is hard to please everybody in Connellsville.

The show had been heralded as one of the funniest comedies ever produced and it proved to be all of that. It was interpreted by an exceptionally capable company.

It has been a long time since a Connellsville audience enthused over a show like the one last night did. Applause was almost continual and after each of the three acts there were two or three curtain calls for the performers.

The show hinges around Mawruss Perlmutter (Lew Welch) and Abe Potash (Jules Jordan). Their constant "arguments" were a source of just as constant amusement. Laughable and lovable these characters were, as delineated by Messrs. Welch and Jordan.

There was a love affair woven into the play and a Russian refugee helped complicate what there was to the plot, but it was the two partners that made the show the success it was.

Manager Keagy surely furnished his patrons with a show above reproach this time.

CONFLUENCE.

CONFLUENCE, Feb. 3.—Henry Vansickle of Casselman was a business visitor here yesterday.

P. S. Rowe, B. & O. hostler, is off duty on account of illness.

Charles Hochard of Somerset was here recently on business.

Everett Show of Connellsville, who has been ill, is better.

H. L. Hostetler was a business visitor to Somerset yesterday.

Louis Shipley of Ridwell was here yesterday transacting business.

Leo Cronin has been suffering with a sore leg for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Musters of Beachley were visitors with friends in Meyersdale yesterday.

Joseph Humbertson of Henry Clay township was here yesterday.

Evangelist Lawson Campbell, who has been assisting Rev. J. A. Hopkins in his meeting in the Christian Church, has gone to his home in Pittsburg for a few days rest.

James McNutt, a student in the Uniontown schools, was here on his return to school after spending a few days with his parents at Somerfield.

Mrs. Millie Vansickle, teacher of the Flanigan school in Henry Clay township, was here yesterday on her return from visiting her mother, Mrs. Fornwalt in Connellsville, who has been very ill.

John Frantz of near Somerfield was here yesterday on his way to Uniontown on business.

H. D. Rhodehouse of Pittsburg was a business visitor here yesterday.

PAIN GONE! RUB SORE, RHEUMATIC ACHING JOINTS

Rub Pain Away With a Small Trial Bottle of Old "St. Jacob's Oil"

It's pain only; not one case in 50 requires internal treatment. Rub soothing, penetrating "St. Jacob's Oil" right on the "tender spot," and by the time you say Jack Robinson—out comes the rheumatic pain and distress. "St. Jacob's Oil" is a harmless rheumatism liniment which never disappoints and doesn't burn the skin. It takes pain, soreness and stiffness from aching joints, muscles and bones; stops sciatica, lumbago, backache and neuralgia.

Limber up! Get a small trial bottle of old-time, honest "St. Jacob's Oil" from any drug store, and in a moment, you'll be free from pains, aches and stiffness. Don't suffer! Rub rheumatism away.—Adv.

DUNBAR.

DUNBAR, Feb. 3.—Mrs. Ollie Riley was shopping in Connellsville Monday.

K. K. Kramer, of Connellsville, was here Monday looking after business interests at his plant at Mahoning.

Robert Trimble and Charles Johnson, representatives for L. H. Smith of Pittsburg, were transacting business here today.

Mrs. Robert Cooper was shopping in Connellsville Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Irvine of Pittsburg, have returned home after spending a few days here, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Stewart.

Mrs. I. D. Slater and son of Fairbank, have returned home after spending the past week here, the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Stewart.

The Gaddis Adults Bible Class of the Methodist Episcopal Church will hold their regular monthly meeting Thursday evening at the home of Miss Cora McDowell. All members are requested to be present.

William Stevenson, manager of the Pennsylvania Wire Glass Plant, left for a six months' vacation for his health.

Mr. Sherman and Mr. Cox of Philadelphia have taken charge of the glass plant during the absence of Mr. Stevenson.

Rev. D. E. Minerd will officiate at the funeral of Mrs. Sara Minerd of Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Ellenberger of Speers Hill, are seriously ill.

Chief of Police A. E. Feight is on the sick list.

T. O. Peterson, of Scottdale, writing master for the borough schools, spent Tuesday here.

Mrs. John Jobes of the Furnace, was shopping in Connellsville Tuesday.

DON'T SUFFER WITH NEURALGIA

Musterole Gives Delicious Comfort

When those sharp pains go shooting through your head, when your skull seems as if it would split, just rub a little MUSTEROLE on the temples and neck. It draws out the inflammation, soothes away the pain—gives quick relief.

MUSTEROLE is a clean, white ointment, made with oil of mustard. Better than a mustard plaster and does not blister!

Doctors and nurses frankly recommend MUSTEROLE for Sore Throat, Bronchitis, Croup, Stiff Neck, Asthma, Neuralgia, Congestion, Pleurisy, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Pains and Aches of the Back or Joints, Sprains, Sore Muscles, Bruises, Chilblains, Frosted Feet—Colds of the Chest (it often prevents Pneumonia).

At your druggist's, in 25c and 50c jars, and a special large hospital size for $2.50.

Be sure you get the genuine MUSTEROLE. Refuse imitations—get what you ask for. The Musterole Company, Cleveland, Ohio.

MUSTEROLE

DICKERSON RUN.

DICKERSON RUN, Feb. 3.—The Ladies' Philathea Class of the Dawson Memorial Methodist Episcopal Sunday school are holding their semi-monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. A. C. Brown on Bridge street, Dawson, this afternoon.

Earl Lint of McKees Rocks is spending a few days here visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Lint.

Mrs. Harry Cassel and Mrs. Joseph Robertson were shopping in Pittsburg yesterday.

Norman Lint, Earl Lint and Dalton Myers were calling on Connellsville friends last evening.

F. E. Ramsdell and John Hughes of Pittsburg were transacting business here yesterday.

There was a large number of Western Maryland men here yesterday taking the examination and several will be found running out of here in a few days as business is picking up fast.

Try our classified advertisements.

Recognized Advantages.

You will find that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has recognized advantages over most medicines in use for coughs and colds. It does not suppress a cough but loosens and relieves it. It aids expectoration and opens the secretions, which enables the system to throw off a cold. It counteracts any tendency of a cold to result in pneumonia. It contains no opium or other narcotic, and may be given to a child as confidently as to an adult. For sale by all dealers.—Adv.

Increased Income.

When a man has money in the bank earning interest, it is just like an increase in his pay. A few dollars will help. Start a savings account, at interest, with the Citizens National Bank, 138 Pittsburg street. It will help you over hard times. The money will always be ready for you, when you want it. Begin now.—Adv.

THE NOISELESS KIND.

Salesman—That horn doesn't blow, sir.

Do Grouch—Wrap it up. That is the kind of a horn I want.

Asthma-Catarrh and Bronchitis

Can Be Greatly Relieved by the New External Vapor Treatment.

Don't take internal medicines or habit-forming drugs for these troubles. Vick's "Vap-O-Rub" Salve is applied externally and relieves by inhalation as a vapor and by absorption through the skin. For Asthma and Hay Fever, melt a little Vick's in a spoon and inhale the vapors, also rub well over the spinal column to relax the nervous tension. 25c, 50c, or $1.00.

THE GENUINE HAS THIS TRADE MARK

"VAPORUB"

VICK'S Croup and Pneumonia SALVE

Over 18,000 Satisfied Spectacle Wearers—My Record

DR. BURSTAN,

SMITH HOUSE,

W. MAIN ST.—SECOND FLOOR.

One More Week

BEGINNING MONDAY, FEB. 1st, I WILL FIT YOUR EYES WITH "STEVENS S. Q." GOLD-FILLED EYE GLASSES FOR $1.50. SATISFACTION GUARANTEED OR MONEY REFUNDED. PLEASE REMEMBER I AM DOING THIS TO BUILD UP A BIG BUSINESS. COME EARLY IN THE MORNING AND EARLY IN THE WEEK AND YOU WILL BE SURE TO GET WAITED ON. OFFICE HOURS 9 A. M. TO 5 P. M.

This "Stevens" offer is an advertising proposition pure and simple—your advantage is a superior grade of goods at a special low price—my profit is making 600 new acquaintances and winning their confidence.

Stevens mountings are the best in the world—they occupy the same position in the optical trade as "Rogers Bros., 1847" do in the silver line and "Elgin" or "Waltham" do in the watch business.

SUCH A STARTLING ANNOUNCEMENT no doubt makes you ask if it is absolutely bonafide and, if so, why I do it. The whole story is this. I have decided to make this unheard of sacrifice of gold-filled glasses at $1.50 to gain the full support and patronage of Connellsville people and thus build up an extensive optical business. The lenses are the same I used in my regular lines, every one fully guaranteed, and I use just as much care in fitting your eyes. Difficult cases a specialty.

Headaches and nervousness and other troubles, far remote from the eye are oftimes the direct result of eye strain and the proper glasses would give immediate relief. It is not necessary for the eye to be sore to indicate the need of glasses. In many cases the eye may be perfectly healthy and glasses may be needed for the reasons which are only apparent to the skilled refractionist.

EXAMINATION FREE

During this wonderful offer I will be in charge and every patient will get scientific examination and glasses properly adjusted. REMEMBER: I am making this offer to build up my business and cannot afford to exaggerate. Special prices during offer on specially ground lenses, Bifocals and torics.

For balance of week only "Stevens S. Q." Gold Filled Eyeglasses Mountings—every pair guaranteed by the makers—fitted with my own lenses—including examination, $1.50.

All "Stevens" frames and mountings are stamped on the bridge—"Stevens S. Q."—look for it—don't take my word. They are gold filled—not gold plated—permanently guaranteed by Stevens & Company, (Inc.) of Providence, R. I., and myself—and will be replaced at any time if they fail to give satisfaction.

Caution about the Use and Selection of Spectacles

Persons having normal vision will be able to read this print at a distance of 14 inches from the eyes with ease and comfort; also will be able to read it with each eye separately. If unable to do so your eyes are defective and should have immediate attention. When the eyes become tired from reading or sewing, or if the letters look blurred and run together, it is a sure indication that glasses are needed. The lenses sold in the cheap goods are of unequal density and have imperfectly formed surfaces. Continued use of these poorer lenses will result in positive injury from the constant strain upon the muscles of accommodation to supply the defects in the glass.

$50 REWARD

I have no agents and will pay the above reward for the arrest and conviction of persons claiming to be me or my representative.

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Final Sweeping out of Odds and Ends In Every Department at the Most Drastic Price Reductions.

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Watch and Read Thursday's Paper

KOBACKER'S "THE BIG STORE" ON PITTSBURGH ST.

PATIENT PLEASED AT QUICK RESULT

Interstate Doctors Lauded for Quick Relief—Best Modern Methods Used.

No one but a sufferer from stomach trouble can fully realize the misery caused by stomach troubles and the resulting complications, shortness of breath, heart palpitation, little vitality, lack of appetite and ambition. Added to these are other symptoms that tend to make life miserable.

Stomach sufferers try all sorts of remedies to relieve their condition but too often no relief is obtained, and it is a sincere wish to aid other ailing ones that compels one person who has found relief or a cure to tell another how and where it was obtained.

The Inter-State Doctors' Connellsville medical institute is on the second floor of the Citizens National Bank building at the corner of Pittsburg and Apple streets, have had remarkable success in the treatment of stomach and other chronic ills, and the following statement from a well known McKeesport (Pa.) lady tells of the quick and astonishing relief given in her case:

"I have been suffering from stomach and bowel trouble for quite a while, complicated by a bad throat and tonsils. I didn't seem to be able to get well.

"I was advised to see you and wish to say that I began to improve very soon after starting your treatment, and now, after a two months' course, am entirely cured of my stomach and other troubles. I feel fine and think it but just to make this statement for publication so other sufferers may know where to find a cure.

"(Signed) Mrs. Mary Leadbeater,

"McKeesport, Pa.

The great offer made by these specialists of free consultation, free examination and free treatment is open to all until February 15, after which date full fees will be charged to all. The only charge that is made is for the bare cost of the medicines and its distribution. In cases of the very poor, even the medicines are furnished free also. This is not an offer of free treatment for the few days' remaining of the offer but free treatment until well, regardless of the length of time.—Adv.

Read The Daily Courier every day.

Help for Hoarse Throats

When you're so hoarse it hurts to talk or swallow; when your throat is all "filled up," Goff's Cough Syrup will have an almost instant effect; removing the congestion, opening the clogged air passages and overcoming the danger of Bronchitis and Pneumonia. Get a 25 or 50 cent bottle at your Grocer's or Druggist's and stop that injurious hoarseness. Guaranteed satisfactory, or money back. Contains no opiates.

A SMART SCARLET HAT WITH UNUSUAL TRIMMING.

What little trimming there is on this hat appears to be sliding off—but the effect is decidedly chic. The hat is a new spring model made of rough straw in vivid scarlet shade and the bunch of conventionalized grapes is scarlet also. The heavy trimming accentuates the tilt of the hat on the head.

AN ABSOLUTELY TRUE STORY

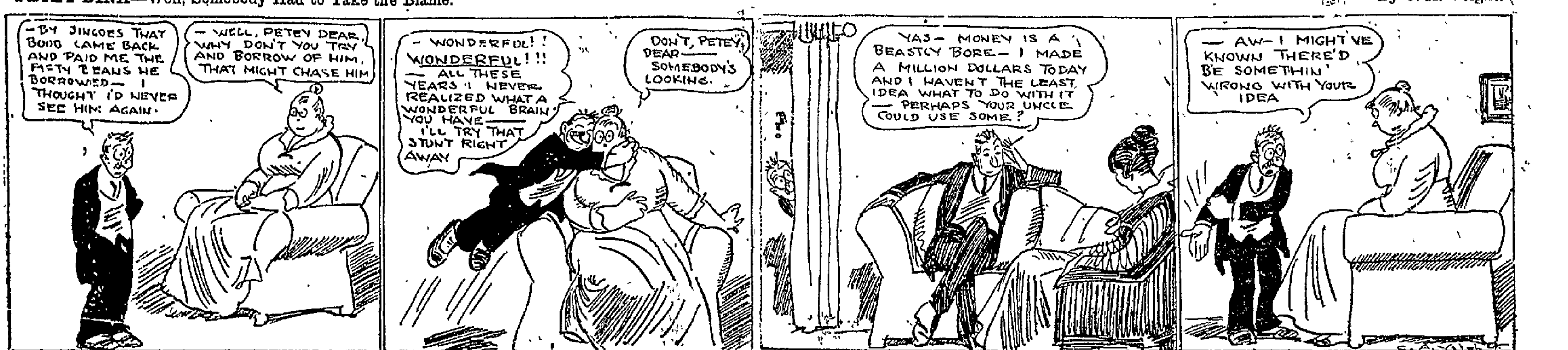
Of How E. L. Marshall of Shreveport, La., Was Cured of a Stomach Trouble That Kept Him Out of Work for Months.

Shreveport, La.—"I had a bad stomach trouble for years and became so weak I could hardly walk or do any work. My appetite was very poor, then my food would not digest, I bloated and was very weak and nervous, and it seemed impossible to get any relief. I was so bad I could not work for months at a time. I tried too many remedies to name, but without help. I saw Vinol advertised and tried it, and soon noticed an improvement. I continued its use and now my stomach trouble is completely cured. I am a well man enjoying perfect health and have gained in weight."—E. L. MARSHALL, Shreveport, La.

The recovery of Mr. Marshall was due to the combined action of the medicinal tissue building elements of the extract of cod's livers, aided by the blood making and strength creating properties of tonic iron, contained in Vinol, which seldom fails to strengthen and tone up the tired, over-taxed and weakened nerves of the stomach and remove the trouble.

Graham & Co., druggists, Connellsville, Pa., and at leading drug stores everywhere.

PETEY DINK—Well, Somebody Had to Take the Blame. By C. A. Voight.



PROPOSED LAWS HAVE VARIETY

Every Sort of Act Presented to Legislature.

PENSION BILL IS INTRODUCED

Eight Dollars a Month Asked For Emergency Men—To Regulate Boxing Matches—Other Matters Dealt With Are Anti-Liquor, a New County, Etc., Etc.

Harrisburg, Feb. 2.—A bill to provide pensions for emergency men of the Civil War has been introduced in the senate by Senator Martin, of Cumberland county. The measure creates the office of pension commissioner at a salary of $3000 a year, with assistants and clerks, and would give every emergency man a pension of $8 a month from the state treasury.

Representative Perry, of Philadelphia, is sponsor for a bill to regulate boxing matches and prize fighting in Pennsylvania. His proposed act would create a commission, with full power over all such exhibitions. Five per cent of the gross receipts of each fight would go to the state treasury. If the bill becomes a law every fighting club will have to take out a license. The bouts are to be limited to ten rounds and the gloves cannot be less than eight ounces in weight. Severe penalties are provided in the bill for conducting fake bouts.

Senator Hilton, of McKean, again has a bill in to make railroads liable for all loss by fire originating upon the land or right of way belonging to such railroad. The act is specially directed against destruction to property caused by sparks from locomotives.

The sum of $200,000 is asked for the maintenance of the state's soldiers' orphan schools, according to a bill introduced in the senate by Senator Martin, of Cumberland.

Senator Sonsenich is behind a bill to prohibit bottlers and brewers from selling to householders and would also make it unlawful to sell to clubs or corporations not licensed to sell liquor at retail. The measure is directed against wholesale distribution of liquor to dry communities and also to speakeasies in places that already have licensed saloons.

For the twelfth time the bill to carve a new county out of lower Luzerne and upper Schuylkill has been introduced in the legislature. Representative Adams, of Hazleton, is in charge of the legislation this session. In order to help along the bill and get it through the legislature, Mr. Adams announces that if the new county is formed it will be named "Penrose county."

The equal suffrage amendment resolution is now in the legislature. It will be passed without difficulty, according to the sentiment expressed by leading Republican and Democratic members. If the resolution goes through this session the people will vote on it at the election next November.

Representative Cromer, of Allegheny, has introduced a bill to give school boards the power to pension janitors. Under existing laws any school district may create a pension system for teachers, and it is Cromer's idea that this privilege should be extended so as to include janitors.

Representative Hess, of Lancaster, has put in a bill to appropriate $555,000 to meet the expenses of eradicating the foot and mouth disease in Pennsylvania. This represents the state's share of the cost, the federal government contributing a similar amount.

CHARLES H. KLINE,
President Pro Tem. of Senate.

Senator Kline is a native of Indiana county and a resident of Pittsburgh, where he practices law. He was a member of the house in 1905 and 1906; was elected to the senate in 1906; re-elected in November, 1910, and again in 1914.

News Gems.

The emperor and empress of Japan have given $1,500 to the Salvation Army, it was announced at Tokyo.

Doctors in Tiverton, Devon, England, have offered to provide free treatment for dependents of those now at the front.

Most physicians cannot write legibly, according to Dr. Thomas Darlington, member of the New York workmen's compensation commission.

A French officer imprisoned in Germany has twice communicated with his family by attaching a stamped letter to toy balloons. Both floated to French soil, were picked up and mailed.

The military hospitals in France are using a telephone contrivance to locate bullets. Two electrical reels to which an ordinary telephone is attached are run over the body of a wounded patient, and the telephone buzzes when the reel passes over a hidden bullet or fragment of shell.

FRENCHMAN WINS IRON CROSS

Helped a Wounded German Soldier at Risk of His Own Life.

The story of the winning of the German iron cross by a French officer under most tragic conditions during a night fight around Ypres is given in detail by a French soldier.

"The night had passed, the morning was dawning, and we were able to see the territory where the fight had been going on," he says in his statement. "Undoubtedly the Germans after the battle had returned to get their wounded comrades. However, the field appeared to be clear, and we saw no dead or wounded excepting one wounded German soldier. He rested halfway between the trenches of the fighting forces. Suddenly we beheld a German officer arise from the German trenches and attempt to reach his wounded countryman. A shot from us struck him down. Then our commanding officer ordered, 'Stop firing.' We obeyed and noticed, much to our surprise, our commander advancing toward the German trenches. A bullet fired by the Germans struck him; but, undaunted, he arose and with firm step came to the side of the wounded German soldier. Shouts of applause were heard from both sides, and for nearly an hour no shots were fired. The French officer raised the German soldier, supported him and led him to the German trench. Then he made ready to return to the French side. But he was rewarded. A German officer rushed forward, tore from his uniform the iron cross and fastened it on the breast of the chivalrous French hero. Loud cries of 'Bravo, bravo!' were heard from the trenches of the two fighting armies. Slowly the French officer came back to the French lines, and, fainting, he fell in our arms. He had been wounded, but the Germans allowed us to pick him up and render aid. Then the bitter fight was resumed."

Boiled Clothes.

Some housekeepers believe in boiling the clothes before rubbing, and some do not believe in boiling them at all. Others believe that clothes are made yellow by boiling. Boiling does not make clothes yellow. Clothes become yellow when they are improperly rinsed, when there is iron in the water or a deposit of iron is formed from the boiler or by the use of an impure soap. On the other hand, boiling takes an important part in the dissolution and removal of the soap, which expert housekeepers, who know that the soap must be removed if the clothes are to keep their color and wearing qualities, will recognize as an indisputable reason why the clothes should be boiled—and boiled after rubbing. In these days of sterilizing it seems illogical to accept as clean unboiled clothes.—Woman's Home Companion.

NEW COMMISSION IS UNDER ATTACK

Some Want the Public Service Body Wiped Out.

OPPOSITION TO THE MEMBERS

It Looks as If Present Legislature Will Be Featured by the Movement to Abolish Commission Created Two Years Ago.

Harrisburg, Feb. 2.—Judging from indications at this early period of the meeting of the legislature, it would not be surprising if the big issue to be fought out in Harrisburg will be the future of the public service commission created two years ago. In point of interest it may overshadow even workmen's compensation, child labor laws and local option.

There is a strong agitation on to abolish the commission altogether. Others want its jurisdiction curbed almost to a degree that would make it no more powerful than the late railroad commission, which was supplanted by the public service body. Then there are others who desire the law to stand without a single change, but to make a number of changes in the personnel of the commission.

In connection with the abolishment of the railroad commission and the creation of the public service commission it is interesting to note that the two men on the latter body who were members of the former, Messrs. Pennypacker and Brecht, are not being subjected to any criticism to speak of. Here and there a word of

CHARLES A. AMBLER,
Speaker of the House.

Representative Ambler was born in Montgomery county, and has resided there all his life. Was postmaster of Abington from 1897 to 1907. Is now serving his sixth term in the house.

opposition is heard against ex-Governor Pennypacker, but usually it comes from a prejudiced source and is not taken seriously. As for Mr. Brecht, everybody appears to concede his fitness and general qualifications for the position he holds.

The chief complaint against a majority of the members of the public service commission is the feeling that they are not entirely divorced from corporation influences, that the "vested" interests and not the people's interests are being conserved in nearly all the rulings. This is absolutely denied by friends of the commissioners, and decisions are being pointed to wherein corporations have been hit hard in order that the public might benefit.

Before leaving office Governor Tener sent to the senate the names of the entire public service board, together with that of Walter Gaither as the successor of the late Judge Ewing. Up to the present the senate has taken no action upon the names. This session an executive nomination committee was created by the senate for the purpose of considering all nominations sent in by the governor. The fate of the public service commissioners rests with these men. This committee is composed of the following: Crow, chairman; Vare and McNichol, of Philadelphia; Sproul, Chester; Catlin, Luzerne; Snyder, Schuylkill, and Kline, Allegheny.

Before the legislature opened it looked as if the only member of the public service body who might encounter serious opposition in the senate would be Gaither. Now his chances seem as bright as any of the others, excepting Brecht and Pennypacker. Enemies of Gaither made the mistake of attacking him on qualification grounds, laying much stress upon the statement that he is nothing more than a newspaper man. This has rallied to his side unexpected support from newspaper men, who feel that a man trained in journalistic pursuits is just as capable of sitting on a public board as a lawyer, a teacher, a banker or a corporation agent.

HINTS FOR HOUSEWIVES.

Squeaks in shoes are obviated by dipping the soles in kerosene.

Red wall paper, especially in a small room, is often trying to the eyes and temper.

A teaspoonful of lemon juice in a cup of black coffee will cure a bilious headache.

The best scrapbaskets are the simplest ones, closely woven and free from any decorations of ribbons, etc.

No gritty scouring soap should be used upon the enamel of a bathtub. A powder is much better, and stains may be removed with a brush.

To stiffen starch add to one quart of prepared starch a teaspoonful of gum arabic and one of baking soda, dissolve in a little water and stir well.

Instead of gluing on the handle of an umbrella which is not wearing well, try winding a thread around the stick and then screwing on the handle.

To remove paint from clothing saturate the spots two or three times with equal parts of ammonia and turpentine and then wash out in soapsuds.

Old Time Bell Ringers.

"Bell ringing," said the bell ringer, "reached its height in Belgium after the middle age. The Belgian bell ringers invented the clavecin. This was a keyboard similar to a piano's, and each key being struck caused a hammer to hit a bell. In that way a clever bell ringer could get out of his chimes swift changes and intricate harmonies unknown before. The clavecin lifted bell ringing from manual labor to high art, but it must have been funny to see a performer playing on his pianolike clavecin. The keys were stiff; they had to be struck very hard, and hence the player wore thick gloves. He stood off from the instrument, sleeves rolled up and brow knitted, and, doubling his fists, he rained blow on blow with all his force. We bell ringers have no clavecins today, nor have we the skill of the ringers of the past."

Why They Never Buy Havanas?

"What kind of cigars do you wish to give your husband, madam—Havana or domestic?"

"Oh, domestic, by all means! I'm giving them to him to encourage him to spend his evenings at home, you know."—Judge.

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RESOURCES.

Reserve fund—		
Cash, specie and notes	$ 32,153 05	
Due from approved reserve agents	30,581 25	
Legal securities at par	5,000 00	[illegible]
Nickels and cents		180 10
Checks and cash items		3,851 51
Due from banks and trust companies not reserve		1,002 52
Securities pledged for bills payable		78,823 11
Commercial paper purchased Upon one name	302 00	
Commercial paper purchased. Upon two or more names	162,771 00	463,163 00
Loans upon calls with collateral		29,511 38
Time loans with collateral		135,051 64
Loans without collateral		52,739 85
Bonds, stocks, etc.		41,262 17
Mortgages and judgments of record		105,006 10
Office building and lot		55,000 00
Other real estate		5,191 07
Furniture and fixtures		[illegible]
Overdrafts		2,003 01
Other assets not included in above par		7,451 00
Total		$1,080,183 81

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	$200,000 00
Surplus fund	5,180 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	16,078 00
Individual deposits subject to check (Exclusive of trust funds and savings)	182,080 93
Time certificates of deposit (Exclusive of trust funds and savings)	43,806 00
Deposits, saving fund (Exclusive of trust funds and savings)	528,117 83
Deposits, municipal	37,183 80
Due to banks, trust companies, etc., not reserve	1,067 00
Treasurer's and certified checks outstanding	5,585 51
Bills payable on demand	41,000 00
Bills payable on time	21,500 00
Total	$1,080,183 81
Amount of trust funds invested	$ 13,050 00
Amount of trust funds uninvested	1,013 26
Overdrafts	89 50
Total trust funds	$ 14,152 76

CORPORATE TRUSTS

Total amount (i. e., face value) of trusts under deeds of trust or mortgages, executed by Corporations to the Company as Trustee to secure issues of corporate bonds, including equipment trusts $270,000 00

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I, D R Ploto, Treasurer of the above named company do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief

D R PLOTO Treasurer.

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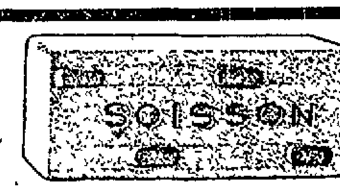
PAVING  BLOCK

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CHAPTER XIX.

Peg and Jerry.

PEG went haphazardly around the room examining everything, sitting in various kinds of chairs, on the sofa, smelling the flowers, and wherever she went Jerry followed her at a little distance.

"Are you going to stay here?"

"Mebbe I will and mebbe I won't."

"Did your aunt send for you?"

"No, me uncle—me Uncle Nat."

"Nathaniel Kilgsnorth!" cried Jerry in amazement.

Peg nodded.

"Sleepin' in his grave, poor man."

"Why, then, you're Miss Margaret O'Connell?"

"I am. How did you know that?"

"I was with your uncle when he died."

"Were ye?"

"He told me all about you."

"Did he? Well, I wish the poor man 'ud ha' lived. An' I wish he'd 'a' thought o' us sooner—he with all his money an' me father with none an' me his sister's only child."

"What does your father do?"

Peg took a deep breath and answered eagerly. She was on the one subject about which she could talk freely—all she needed was a good listener. This strange man, unlike her aunt, seemed to be the very person to talk to on the one really vital subject to Peg. She said breathlessly:

"Sure me father can do anything at all—except make money. An' when he does make it he can't kape it. He doesn't like it enough. Nayther do I. We've never had very much to like, but we've seen others around us with plenty, an', faith, we've been the happiest—that we have."

She only stopped to take breath before she went again:

"There have been times when we've been most starvin', but me father never lost his pluck or his spirits. Nayther did I. When times have been the hardest I've never heard a word of complaint from me father nor seen a frown on his face. An' I'm sick for the sight of him. An' I'm sure he is for me—for his 'Peg o' My Heart,' as he always calls me."

She uncovered her eyes as the tears trickled down through her fingers.

"Don't do that," he said softly as he felt the moisture start into his own eyes.

"I don't often cry," she said. "Me father never made me do it. I never saw him cry but twice in his life—once when we made a little mopey an' we had a mass said for me mother's soul an' we had the most beautiful candles on Our Lady's altar. He cried then, he did. An' when I left him to come here on the ship—an' then only at the last minute."

In a moment she went on again:

"I cried meself to sleep that night. I did. An' many a night, too, on that steamer.

"An' I wish I hadn't come—that I do. He's missin' me every minute—an' I'm missin' him. An' I'm not goin' to be happy here nayther.

"I don't want to be a lady. An' they won't make me one, nayther, if I can help it. 'Ye can't make a silk purse out of a sow's ear,' that's what me father always said. An' that's what I am. I'm a sow's ear."

She stopped.

"I'm afraid I cannot agree with you."

She looked up at him and said indifferently.

"That's what I am. I'm a sow's ear."

"When the strangeness wears off you'll be very happy. You're among friends."

"I don't often cry," she said.

Peg shook her head and said bitterly: "No, I'm not. They may be relations, but they're not me friends."

He turned to Peg and said:

"When they really get to know you, Miss O'Connell, they will be just as proud of you as your father is—as—I would be."

Peg looked at him in whimsical astonishment. "You'd be? Why should you be proud of me?"

"I'd be more than proud if you'd look on me as your friend."

"A friend is it?" cried Peg warily. "Sure I don't know who you are at all," and she drew away from him. She was on her guard. Peg made few friends. Why this man calling himself by the outlandish name of Jerry should walk in out of nowhere and offer her his friendship and expect her to jump at it puzzled her. Who was he?

"Who are ye at all?" she asked.

"No one in particular," answered Jerry between gasps.

"I can see that," said Peg candidly. "I mean what do ye do?"

"Everything a little and nothing really well," Jerry replied. "I was a soldier for awhile; then I took a splash at doctoring, read law, civil engineered in South America for a year; now I'm farming."

"Farmin'?" asked Peg incredulously.

"Yes, I'm a farmer."

Peg laughed as she looked at the well cut clothes, the languid manner and easy poise.

"It must be mighty hard on the land and cattle to have you farmin' them," she said.

"It is," and he, too, laughed again.

She started up the staircase leading to the mauve room.

Jerry called after her anxiously:

"No, no, Miss O'Connell! Don't go like that!"

"I must," said Peg from the top of the stairs. "What will I get here but to be laughed at an' jeered at by a lot of people that are not fit to even look at me father? Who are they, I'd like to know, that I mustn't speak his name in their presence?"

Suddenly she raised her hand above her head and in the manner and tone of a public speaker she astounded Jerry with the following outburst.

"An' that's what the Irish are doin' all over the world. They're driven out of their own country by the English an' become wanderers on the face of the earth, an' nothin' they ever earn 'll make up to them for the separation from their homes an' their loved ones! She finished the peroration on a high note and with a forced manner such as she had frequently heard on the platform.

She smiled at the astonished Jerry and asked him:

"Do ye know what that is?"

"I haven't the least idea," he answered truthfully.

"That's out of one of me father's speeches. He father makes grand speeches. He makes them in the cause of Ireland."

"Oh, really! In the cause of Ireland, eh?" said Jerry.

"Yes. He's been struggin' all his life to make Ireland free, to get her home rule, ye know. But the English are so ignorant. They think they know more than me father. If they'd do what me father tells them sure there'd be no more throuble in Ireland at all."

"Really?" said Jerry quite interestedly.

"Not a bit of throuble. I wish me father was here to explain it to ye. He could tell ye the whole thing in a couple of hours. I wish he were here now just to give you an example of what fine speakin' really is. Do you like speeches?"

"Very much—sometimes," replied Jerry guardedly.

"Me father is wondherful on a platform with a lot o' people in front of him. He's wondherful. I've seen him take two or three hundred people who didn't know they had a grievance in the wurrld—the poor creatures—they were just contented to go on bein' ground down an' trampled on an' they not knowin' a thing about it—I've seen me father take that crowd an' in five minutes arther he had started spukin' to them ye wouldn't know they were the same people. They were all shoutin' at once, an' they had murther in their eye, an' it was blood they were arther. They wanted to reform somethin'—they weren't sure what—but they wanted to do it, an' at the cost of life. Me father could have led them anywhere. It's a wonderful power he was. Do ye like hearin' about me father?" she asked Jerry suddenly, in case she was tiring him.

Jerry hastened to assure her that he was really most interested.

"Well, so long as yer not tired I'll tell ye some more. Ye know I went all through Ireland when I was a child with me father in a cart. An' the police an' the constabulary used to follow us about. They were very frightened of me father, they were. They were grand days for me. Ye're English, mebbe?" she asked him suddenly.

"I am," said Jerry. He almost felt inclined to apologize.

"Well, sure that's not your fault. Ye couldn't help it. No one should hold that against ye. We can't all be born Irish."

"I'm glad you look at it so broad mindedly," said Jerry.

She stood restlessly a moment, her hands beating each other alternately.

"I get so lonesome for me father," she said.

Suddenly, with a tone of definite resolve in her voice, she started to the stairs, calling over her shoulder:

"I'm goin' back to him now. Good-by!"

Jerry followed her, pleading insistently:

"Wait! Please wait!"

She stopped and looked at him:

"Give us one month's trial—one month!" he urged. "It will be very little out of your life, an' I promise you your father will not suffer through it except in losing you for that one little month. Will you? Just a month?"

He spoke so earnestly and seemed so sincerely pained and so really concerned at her going that she came down a few steps and looked at him irresolutely.

"Why do you want me to stay?" she asked him.

"Because—because your late uncle was my friend. It was his last wish to do something for you. Will you? Just a month?"

She struggled with the desire to go away from all that was so foreign and distasteful to her. Then she looked at Jerry and realized, with something akin to a feeling of pleasure, that he was pleading with her to stay and doing it in such a way as to suggest that it mattered to him. She had to admit to herself that she rather liked the look of him. He seemed honest, even though he were English. After all, to run away now would look cowardly. Her father would be ashamed of her. This stuckup family would laugh at her. Instantly she made up her mind.

She would stay. Turning to Jerry, she said:

"All right, then. I'll stay—a month. But not any more than a month, though."

"Not unless you wish it."

"I won't wish it—I promise ye that. One month 'll be enough in this house."

"I am glad you're going to stay."

"Well, that's a comfort, anyway. Some one 'll be pleased at my staying."

CHAPTER XX.

A Real Friend.

A DOOR slammed loudly in the distance as Peg talked to Jerry. Peg distinctly heard her aunt's voice and Alaric's. In a moment she became panic stricken. She made one bound for the top stairs and sprang up them three at a time. At the top she turned and warned him:

"Don't tell any one ye saw me."

"I won't," promised the astonished young man.

But their secret was to be short lived. As Peg turned Ethel appeared at the top of the stairs, and as she descended, glaring at Peg, the unfortunate girl went down backward before her. At the same moment Mrs. Chichester and Alaric came in through the door.

They all greeted Jerry warmly.

Mrs. Chichester was particularly gracious.

"So sorry we were out. You will stay to lunch?"

"It is what I came for," replied Jerry heartily. He slipped his arm through Alaric's and led him up to the windows.

"Why, Al, your cousin is adorable!" he said enthusiastically.

"What?" Alaric gasped, in horror. "You've met her?"

"Indeed I have. And we had the most delightful time together. I want to see a great deal of her while she's here."

"You're joking?" remarked Alaric cautiously.

"Not at all. She has the frank, honest grip on life that I like better than anything in mankind or womankind. She has made me a convert to home rule already."

The luncheon gong sounded in the distance. Alaric hurried to the door.

"Come along, every one! Lunch!"

"Thank goodness!" cried Jerry, joining him. "I'm starving."

Peg came quietly from behind the newel post, where she had been practically hidden, and went straight to Jerry and, smiling up at him, her eyes dancing with amusement, said:

"So am I starvin' too. I've not had a bite since 6."

"Allow me," and Jerry offered her his arm.

Mrs. Chichester quickly interposed.

"My niece is tired after her journey. She will lunch in her room."

"Oh, but I'm not a bit tired," ejaculated Peg anxiously. "I'm not tired at all, an' I'd much rather have lunch down here with Mr. Jerry."

The whole family were aghast.

Ethel looked indignantly at Peg.

Mrs. Chichester ejaculated, "What?"

Alaric, almost struck dumb, fell back upon "Well, I mean to say!"

"And you shall go in with Mr. Jerry," said that young gentleman, slipping Peg's arm through his own. Turning to Mrs. Chichester, he asked her: "With your permission we will lead the way. Come, Peg," and he led her to the door and opened it.

Peg looked up at him, a roguish light dancing in her big, expressive eyes.

"Thanks. I'm not so sure about that wagur of yours. I think yer life is safe. I want to tell ye ye've saved mine." She put one hand gently on her little stomach and cried, "I am so hungry me soul is hangin' by a thread."

Laughing gayly the two new found friends went in search of the dining room.

"Disgraceful!" ventured Ethel.

"Awful!" said the stunned Alaric.

"She must be taken in hand at once!" came in firm tones from Mrs. Chichester. "She must never be left alone again. Come quickly before she can disgrace us any further today."

The days that followed were never to be forgotten ones for Peg. Her nature was in continual revolt. The teaching of her whole lifetime she was told to correct. Everything she said, everything she looked, everything she did was wrong.

"Let us be honest with each other, Ethel," said Peg.

Tutors were engaged to prepare her for the position she might one day enjoy through her dead uncle's will. They did not remain long. She showed either marked incapacity to acquire the slightest veneer of culture—else it was pure willfulness.

The only gleams of relief she had were on the occasions when Jerry visited the family. Whenever they could avoid Mrs. Chichester's watchful eyes they would chat and laugh and play like children.

Her letters to her father were at first very bitter regarding her treatment by the family. Indeed, so resentful did they become that her father wrote to her in reply urging her, if she was so unhappy, to at once return to him on the next steamer. The month she had promised to stay was drawing to an end. But one more day remained. It was to be a memorable one for Peg.

Jerry had endeavored at various times to encourage her to study. One day he gave her a large, handsomely bound volume and asked her to read it at odd times and he would examine her in it when she had mastered its contents. She opened it wonderingly and found it to be 'Love Stories of the World.'

It became Peg's treasure. She kept it hidden from every one in the house. She made a cover for it out of a piece of cloth, so that no one could see the ornate binding. She would read it at night in her room, by day out in the fields or by the sea. The book was a revelation to her. It gave all her imagination full play. Through its pages trended a stately procession of kings and queens—Wagnerian heroes and heroines, Shakespearean creations, melodious in verse, and countless others.

All through the month Christian Brent was a frequent visitor. If Peg only despised the Chichesters she positively loathed Brent. Peg was waiting for a really good chance to find out Mr. Brent's real character. The opportunity came.

On the night of the last day of the third month Peg was lying face downward on a sofa reading her treasure when she became conscious of some one being in the room watching her. She started up in a panic, instinctively hiding the book behind her. She found Brent staring down at her in open admiration. Something in the intentness of his gaze caused her to spring to her feet.

"The book must be absorbing. What is it?" he asked.

Peg faced him, the book clasped in both of her hands behind her back, her eyes flashing and her heart throbbing.

"You mustn't be angry, child. What is it, eh? Something forbidden?" and he leered knowingly at her. Then he made a quick snatch at the book, saying, "Show it me!"

Peg ran across the room and, turning up a corner of the carpet, put the book under it, turned back the carpet, put her foot determinedly on it and turned again to face his tormentor.

Brent went rapidly across to her. The instinct of the chase was quicken his blood.

"A hiding place, eh? Now you make me really curious. Let me see." He again made a movement toward the hidden book.

Peg clinched both of her hands into little fists and glared at Brent, while her breath came in quick, sharp gasps.

"I love spirit!" cried Brent.

Then he looked at her charming dress, at her stylish coiffure, at the simple spray of flowers at her breast. He gave an ejaculation of pleasure.

"What a wonderful change in a month! You most certainly would not be sent to the kitchen now. Do you know you have grown into a most attractive young lady? You are really delightful angry. And you are angry, aren't you? And with me, oh? I'm so sorry if I've offended you. Let us kiss and be friends." He tried to take her in his arms. Peg gave him a resounding box on the ear. The door opened, and Ethel came into the room.

Peg hurried out through the windows.

Brent turned to Ethel.

"My dear!"

Ethel looked coldly at him.

"Why did she run away?"

Brent smiled easily and confidently:

"I'd surprised one of her secrets, and she flew into a temper."

"Secrets!" was all Ethel said.

"Yes. See!" He walked across to the corner and turned back the carpet and, kneeling down, searched for the book, found it and held it up triumphantly. "Here!" He stood up and opened the book and read the title page.

"'Love Stories of the World.' To Peg from Jerry. Oho!" cried Mr. Brent. "Jerry! Eh? No wonder she didn't want me to see it! Jerry! So that's how the land lies! Romantic little child!"

Ethel looked steadily at him.

"Why don't you go after her?" and she nodded in the direction Peg had gone.

"Ethel!" he cried, aghast.

"She is new and has all the virtues."

"I assure you"—he began. "Really—Ethel"—

"Were you 'carried away' again?" she sneered.

"Surely you're not jealous—of a—a—child?"

"No. I don't think it's jealousy," said Ethel slowly.

"Then what is it?"

"Disgust!" She shrugged her shoulders contemptuously. "Now I understand why the scullery is sometimes the rival of the drawing room. The love of change!"

He turned away from her.

Ethel watched him quietly.

"Chris, come here!"

He turned to her.

"There! It's all over! I suppose I have been a little hard on you." She held out her hand.

"My nerves have been rather severely tried this past month," Ethel went on. "Put a mongrel into a kennel of thoroughbreds and they will either destroy the intruder or be in a continual condition of unsettled, irritated intolerance. That is exactly my condition."

Brent sat beside her and said softly.

"Then I've come in time?"

Ethel smiled.

"So did I, didn't I?" and she indicated the window through which Peg ran after assaulting Brent.

"Don't! Please don't!" he pleaded.

"Very well," replied Ethel complacently, "I won't."

"I'm sorry, Chris," remarked Ethel finally, after some moments had passed. "A month ago it wouldn't have mattered so much. Just now—it does. It's been horrible here."

"A month of misery for me, too," replied Brent passionately.

"I'm going away—out of it. Tomorrow," he added. "To Petersburg—Moscow—Siberia"—

"Oh, the cold places!" She paused, then asked, "Going alone?" He whispered almost into her ear.

"Unless some one—goes with me! Will—you—go?" And he waited breathlessly.

She thought a moment, looked at him again and said quietly, "Chris, I wish I'd been here when you called—instead of that—brat."

CHAPTER XXI.

Complications.

BRENT turned away up again to the window seat crying "Oh, this is unbearable!"

Ethel said quite calmly: "Is it? Your wife all over again, eh?"

He came back to her. "No. I place you far above her, far above all petty suspicions of carping narrowness. I value you as a woman of understanding."

"I am," she said frankly, "from what you've told me of your wife, she must be top."

"Don't treat me like that," he pleaded distractedly.

"What shall I do," asked Ethel with wide open eyes, "apologize? That's odd. I've been waiting for you to."

As Brent moved up toward the windows Alaric came in behind him through the door.

"Hello, Brent," he called out heartily. "How are ye?"

"Very well, thank you, Alaric," he said, controlling his surprise.

"Good. The dear wife well too?"

"Very."

"And the sweet child?"

"Yes."

"You must bring 'em along some time. The mater would love to see them, and so would Ethel. Ethel loves babies, don't you dear?" Without waiting for Ethel to reply he hurried on, "And, talking of babies, have you seen Margaret anywhere?"

Ethel nodded in the direction of the garden. "Out there!"

"Splendid. The mater wants her. We've got to have a family meeting about her and at once." Alaric hurried out through the windows into the garden.

Brent hurried over to Ethel.

"I'm at the hotel. I'll be there until morning. Send me a message, will you? I'll wait up all night for one." He paused. "Will you?"

"Perhaps," replied Ethel.

"I'm sorry if anything I've said or done has hurt you."

She checked him just as her mother appeared at the top of the stairs. At the same moment Bennett the maid came in through the door.

Mrs. Chichester greeted Brent courteously.

"How do you do, Mr. Brent? You will excuse me?" She turned to the maid.

"When did you see my niece last?"

"Not this hour, madam."

"Tell Jarvis to search the gardens, the stables, to look up and down the road."

"Goodby, Mrs. Chichester—and—Ethel," said Brent. He looked meaningly and significantly at Ethel as he stood in the doorway. The next moment he was gone.

Alaric hurried in through the windows from the garden.

"Not a sign of Margaret anywhere," he said furiously, throwing himself into a chair and fanning himself vigorously.

"This cannot go on!" cried Mrs. Chichester.

"I should think not, indeed—running about all over the place."

Mrs. Chichester held up an open telegram.

"Mr. Hawkes telegraphs he will call tomorrow for his first report. What can I tell him?"

"What will you?" asked Alaric.

"Am I to tell him that every tutor I've engaged for her resigned? Not one stays more than a week. Can I tell him that?"

"You could, mater, dear, but would it be wise?"

A moment later Peg entered with Michael cradled in her arms. She had a roguish look of triumph in her eyes. Down the front of her charming new dress were the marks of Michael's muddy paws. Peg was also breathing quickly and evidently more than a little excited.

"Take that animal out of the room!" cried Mrs. Chichester indignantly the moment Peg appeared.

Peg turned and walked straight out into the garden and began playing with Michael on the grass.

Mrs. Chichester waited for a few moments, then called out to her, "Margaret!" then more sharply: "Margaret, come here! Do you hear me?"

Peg went on playing with Michael and just answered, "I hear ye."

"Come here at once!"

"Can Michael come in, too?" came from the garden.

"You come in and leave that brute outside!"

"If Michael can't come in I don't want to," obstinately insisted Peg.

"Do as I tell you. Come here!" commanded her aunt.

Peg tied Michael to one of the French windows and then went slowly into the room and stood facing her aunt.

"Look at your dress!" suddenly cried Mrs. Chichester as she caught sight of the marks of Michael's playfulness.

"Michael did that. Sure they'll come off."

Mrs. Chichester looked at the flushed face of the young girl, at the mass of curly hair that had been carefully dressed by Bennett for dinner and was now hovering around her eyes untidily. The old lady straightened it.

"Can you not keep your hair out of your eyes? What do you think will become of you?"

"I hope to go to heaven, like all good people," said Peg.

Mrs. Chichester turned away with a gesture of despair.

"What is it?" continued the old lady. "I say what is it?"

"What is what?" asked Peg.

"Is it that you don't wish to improve? Is it that?"

"I'll tell you what I think it is," began Peg helpfully, as if anxious to reach some satisfactory explanation. "I think there's a little divil in me lyin' there, an' every now an' again he jumps out."

"A devil?" cried Mrs. Chichester, horrified.

"Yes, aunt," said Peg demurely.

"How dare you use such a word to me?"

"I didn't. I used it about meself. I don't know whether you have a divil in ye or not. I think I have."

Mrs. Chichester silenced her with a gesture.

"Tomorrow I am to give Mr. Hawkes my first report on you."

Peg laughed suddenly and then checked herself quickly.

"And why did you do that?" asked her aunt severely.

"I had a picture of what ye're goin' to tell him."

"Why do you constantly disobey me?" pursued the old lady.

"I suppose it is the original sin in me," replied Peg thoughtfully.

"What?" cried Mrs. Chichester, again taken completely aback.

"Oh, I say, you know! That's good! Ha!" And Alaric laughed heartily. Peg joined in and laughed heartily with him. Alaric immediately stopped.

Ethel took absolutely no notice of any one.

Peg sat down beside her aunt and explained to her: "Whenever I did anything willful or disturbin' as a child me father always said it was the 'original sin' in me an that I wasn't to be punished for it because I couldn't help it."

"Then he used to punish himself for my fault. An' when I saw it hurt him I wasn't to do it again—for awhile at least. I think that was a grand way to bring up a daughter. I've been wondering since I've been here if an aunt could bring a niece up the same way." And she looked quizzically at Mrs. Chichester.

Jarvis came in with a letter on a salver.

"Well?" asked the old lady.

"For Miss Chichester, madam." And he handed Ethel the letter. "By hand, miss."

Ethel took the letter, quite unconsciously and opened it.

"Who is it from?" asked Mrs. Chichester.

"Mr. Brent," replied Ethel indifferently.

"Brent?" cried Alaric. "What on earth does he write to you for?"

"He wants me to do something for him." And she tore the letter up into the smallest pieces and placed them in a receptacle on the desk.

"Come, Alaric." And Mrs. Chichester left the room after admonishing Peg that an hour would be sufficient to sit up.

"Let us be honest with each other, Ethel," said Peg when the two girls were left alone. Peg went right over to her and looked at her compassionately.

"What do you mean?" said Ethel, with a sudden contraction of her breath.

"You like Mr. Brent, don't ye?"

So the moment had come. The little spy had been watching her. Well, she would fight this common little Irish nobody to the bitter end. All the anger in her nature surged uppermost as Ethel answered Peg, but she kept her voice under control.

"Certainly I like Mr. Brent. He is a very old friend of the family."

"He's got a wife?"

"He has!"

"An' a baby?"

"Yes—and a baby." Ethel was not going to betray herself. She would just wait to see what course this creature was going to take with her.

They were now seated together, Ethel holding her little white poodle, at which Peg pointed contemptuously.

Peg went on.

"Of course I've never seen the wife or the baby because he never seems to have them with him when he calls here. But I've often heard Alaric ask arther them."

"Well?" asked Ethel coldly.

"Is it usual for English husbands with babies to kiss other women's hands?" And Peg looked swiftly at her cousin.

Ethel checked an outburst and said quite calmly:

"It is a very old and a very respected custom."

"The divil doubt it but it's old. I'm not so sure about the respect. Why doesn't he kiss me aunt's hand as well?"

Ethel could not control herself much longer. It was becoming unbearable. As she crossed the room she said with as little heat as possible:

"You don't understand."

"Well, but I'm thryin' to," persisted Peg. "That's why I watch ye all the time."

Ethel turned. She was now at bay.

"You watch me?"

"Aren't ye me model?"

"It's contemptible!" cried Ethel.

"Sure I only saw the 'old an' respected custom' by accident—when I came in through there a month ago—an' once since when I came in again by accident—a few days afterward. I couldn't help seein' it both times. An', as for bein' contemptible, I'm not so sure the custom doesn't deserve all the contempt."

Ethel was now thoroughly aroused.

"I suppose it is too much to expect that a child of the common people should understand the customs of decent people."

A Door Slammed Loudly in the Distance as Peg Talked to Jerry.

"Mebbe it is," replied Peg. "But I don't see why the common people should have all the decency an' the aristocracy none."

"It is impossible to talk to you. I was foolish to have stayed here. You don't understand. You never could understand"—

Peg interrupted: "Why, I never saw ye excited before—not a bit of color in yer cheeks till now—except twice! Ye look just as ye did when Mr. Brent followed that old an' respected custom on yer hand," cried Peg. The young girl's eyes were ablaze. How vividly she remembered the eventful scene, that confronted her, when she first arrived at the Chichesters' some days before!

Ethel answered this time, excitedly and indignantly, giving full and free vent to her just anger.

"Be good enough never to speak to me again as long as you're in this house. If I had my way you'd leave it this moment. As it is—as it is"—Her voice rose almost to a scream. Her rage was unbridled.

What more she might have said was checked by the door opening and Jarvis showing in Jerry.

Jerry walked cheerfully and smilingly into the room and was amazed to find the two young ladies glaring at each other and apparently in the midst of a conflict.

All power of speech left him as he stood looking in amazement at the combatants.

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Big Rockwood Revival Swings Into Third Successful Week

ROCKWOOD, Feb. 3.—The big revival swung into its third week last Sunday with morning, afternoon and evening services and a net gain for the day of fifty converts.

Evangelist Morgan Lee Starke of New York City, will remain in charge of the meetings until next Sunday evening. His discourses are producing veritable seismic quakes of conviction and repentance, shaking the town and community from stem to stern. If the present ratio of ingathering of souls is maintained until the close of the week current the total of conversions will pass the one hundred mark by at least a lap of fifty.

The services are being attended by record breaking congregations. Good sleighing brings scores of people from nearby towns and country side, the interest of the meetings having radiated as far as Somerset, Casselman, Kingwood and to other points within a radius of 10 miles. Religious topics are discussed in public places during the day, and night finds those of forensic bent of mind at the services recharging their oratorical carbines from Evangelist Starke's well stocked arsenal of Biblical fulminations.

A noteworthy feature of the evangelistic campaign was a recent service for men only, when more than 250 lodge members and others were present. The revivalist's theme on that occasion was based upon the story of Daniel, from which valuable lessons were taught. Babylon, where Daniel rose to official prominence and figured in a thrilling exploit in the lion's den, was described as a wealthy, fashionable, wicked city and its doom was swift and tragic. But most modern day cities, declared the New York evangelist, are more corrupt and if as in the instance of the ancient metropolis they were weighed in the balances they would be found sadly wanting. His arraignment did not exempt Johnstown, Connellsville, Somerset, or even Rockwood, from drastic, consummate condemnation, whose records in the spot light would cause the unsophisticated to shudder and blush. Other notable services were those devoted to husbands and their wives and to teachers and children.

Church members are getting their full share of religious grooming. Evangelist Starke said that if he were given free reign he would expel three-fourths of the church adherents and use the remaining fourth as a nucleus upon which to build consistent, true-blue congregations. However, the people seem to be impervious to his dramatic deliverances since they accept them good naturedly and greet the revivalist with crowded houses night after night.

Solos, quartets and other special music enliven the evening sessions.

Evangelist Starke's Rockwood engagement will terminate with next Sunday evening's service, but it is probable that the work will be continued by local pastors several weeks longer.

Mr. Starke has completed arrangements for a big revival at Somerset which he will launch there February 22.

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Wonder what upset your stomach—which portion of the food did the damage—do you? Well, don't bother. If your stomach is in a revolt; if sour, gassy and upset, and what you just ate has fermented into stubborn lumps; head dizzy and aches; belch gases and acids and generally undigested food; breath foul, tongue coated—just take a little Pape's Diapepsin and in five minutes you wonder what became of the indigestion and distress.

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DULUTH SHIPMENTS FOR 1914 DECREASE

Report Shows That Nine Thousand Fewer Cars Go Out From Duluth Docks.

During the year 1914 a quarter of a million cars of coal and coke were shipped from docks on the St. Louis bay water front, according to an annual report issued by R. H. Salter, agent for the Western Weighing and Inspection Bureau. The exact figures are 248,340 cars, compared with 257,583 cars in 1913 and 276,384 cars in 1912.

Despite the falling off, this record is considered very good by coal men, as last year's figures were surpassed until after war was declared abroad. Mild weather in the fall and a late winter delayed the annual fall movement, so that stocks are heavier now than is usual at this time of the season.

December shipments were about 3,000 cars behind those for November, despite predictions of coal operators that the final month would be the banner one of the year. This was explained by the fact that railroads loaded large quantities of fuel late in November to avoid a two-cent price increase December 1. The commercial and domestic demand continued about the same.

ERASMUS WILSON IMPROVES

Speedy Recovery Expected for the "Quiet Observer," in Hospital

Erasmus Wilson, the "Quiet Observer" of The Gazette Times, who was taken suddenly ill at his desk Monday evening is at the Presbyterian Hospital, where his condition showed improvement last night. Mr. Wilson was taken to the hospital Monday evening. Drs. C. M. Watson and C. W. Darting, who were called, pronounced his illness pneumonia.

Hopes for Mr. Wilson's early recovery are felt as the attending physicians state that but a small area of one lung is affected and no complications are expected.

Colds and Croup in Children.

Many people rely upon Chamberlain's Cough Remedy implicitly in cases of colds and croup, and it never disappoints them. Mrs. E. H. Thomas, Logansport, Ind., writes: I have found Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to be the best medicine for colds and croup I have ever used, and never tire of recommending it to my neighbors and friends. I have always given it to my children when suffering from croup, and it has never failed to give them prompt relief." For sale by all dealers.—Adv.

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NEW REGULATIONS COVER REFRIGERATOR DEMURRAGE

Railroads Aim to Abolish the Use of Rolling Stock for Warehouse Purposes.

Effective February 1 the American railroads put into effect a revised schedule of demurrage charges on refrigerator cars in which perishable freight is shipped.

The new schedule of demurrage charges on these classes of equipment allows shippers two days' free use of cars; following which there is a charge of $1.00 a day for the third, fourth and fifth days, and $3.00 a day for the sixth, seventh and eighth day that equipment is held. For the ninth day and for each additional day after, the daily demurrage charge is $5.00.

The demurrage regulations governing the class of equipment which have been in effect have allowed two days' free use of the cars and a uniform charge of $1.00 for each additional day.

The aim of the new regulations as set forth by the railroads in announcing them to shippers is to facilitate the handling of shipments requiring refrigerator car service. The new charge has receved the endorsement of the National Industrial Traffic League, whose membership is composed of the traffic managers of manufacturing and industrial plants, with a view to co-operating with the railroads in the prompt movement of traffic.

It has been recognized by railroad managers and business interests that delays to traffic have been occasioned frequently on account of shippers and consignees using cars for storage instead of loading and unloading them promptly. Where railroad equipment is used as warehouse facilities car shortages have been experienced, especially when such is the practice of large shippers and the acquiescence of the National Commission Merchants prevents a correction of such difficulty to a large extent.

Other endorsers of the new tariffs, which have been filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission, are the National Poultry, Butter and Egg Association, Western Fruit Jobbers Association, International Apple Shippers Association, North Pacific Fruit Distributors and New York State Cold Storage Association.

The Baltimore & Ohio railroad has notified its agents and patrons of the new schedule of charges for the special equipment used in the refrigerator trade.

ON THE FIRING LINE

What It Means to Most Men.

There are many true heroes that have perished in the European war who "never smelled powder," but who succumbed to sickness after hard campaigning—coupled with bad water and lack of food. The sick and debilitated man is as much out of place in his struggle for life and existence as he would be on the firing line. On the other hand the strong, vigorous man, his veins filled with rich, red blood, has an enormous advantage in whatever position he may be fated to occupy, in war or business.

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Poplins, gaberdines, serges, Bedford cords, broadcloth and unfinished worsted.

The sale is in line with our established custom of closing out certain stocks in season; and to make room for in-coming stocks, now on their way.

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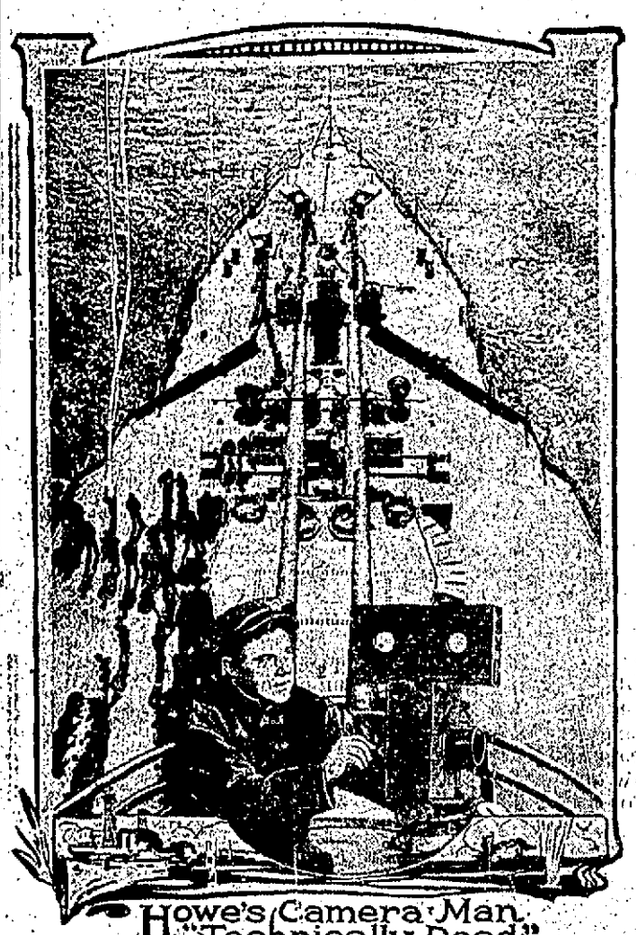

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THE SOISSON.

ETHEL BARRYMORE IN "THE NIGHTINGALE."

An excellent attraction is promised the patrons of the Soisson today in "The Nightingale," in which the beautiful actress, Ethel Barrymore will appear for the first time in this city in motion pictures. The play is a decidedly interesting one and the star needs no comment. "The Governor Maker," is a two reel political drama with William Clifford and Marie Walcamp in the leading roles. The Joker comedy, "Hubby's Cure," is a regular laugh and, the Animated Weekly has a number of fine sketches. Friday the third series of "The Exploits of Elaine," will be presented and Saturday the big New York hit, "The Man of the Hour" will be produced.

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"Knowledge is power" and as Lyman H. Howe's Travel Festival imparts more knowledge in less time than could possibly be gained in any other way, it has become in itself a power for good that cannot be overestimated. But on his next engagement at the Soisson Theatre, matinee and night, Saturday, February 13, Howe promises to demonstrate a new power—the might of our new navy. The films come as a revelation of our naval development. Such tremendous strides have been made recently in our battleship armament that it has kept even naval experts exceedingly busy to keep "up to the minute," and as for civilians, Howe promises that, more than ever, this reproduction demonstrates the power of knowledge to be derived from his exhibition because it so vividly depicts the strength of our navy. As one reviews are film of America's newest dreadnaughts, the dominating impression again is one of untold power. But the film goes further than that. It reveals the many activities of the sun-tanned sailor lads in whom resides the real strength of our navy today. It is not alone the fortified turrets, massive guns and armored missiles that are so impressive. True, they are fascinating, but what grips spectators still more is the efficient, quick and capable "human element" that handles and controls all.

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